

BOWLES

The Conservator Brampton. Oct 3/32

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Conservator. Brompton. Sept 25/33

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SAND HILL
BOWLES CLAN MEETS
FOR FAMILY REUNION

Twenty-nine Members Gather at
Old Homestead in Chinguacousy

SAND HILL.—Children and grandchildren of John Bowles, one of the early settlers of Chinguacousy, held an enjoyable reunion on Tuesday at the old homestead, lot 27, Fifth line east, Chinguacousy, near here, now occupied by the only daughter of this well-known family, Mrs. John Raine. There were twenty-five of the clan present and, for the first time in twenty-nine years, all the immediate members of John Bowles' family were present. John Bowles, with his two brothers, George, for many years an official of Chinguacousy township, and Thomas, sheriff for Dufferin for decades, originally lived in Caledon. Mr. and Mrs. John Bowles established their own home near Sand Hill and their family consists of five sons, Charles F. of Russell, Man.; Dr. George H., Toronto; Mrs. John Raine, Sand Hill; Rev. I. G., Hamilton; Albert E., K.C., Winnipeg, Man., and J. Harvey, Toronto.

Trinity Junior Institute and Junior Farmers' Association were the guests last night of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McBride and with J. C. Shearer, agricultural representative, when preliminary arrangements were made for the short course to be held in Trinity this coming winter.

Mrs. Wm. Gray was hostess to members of Derry West Women's Institute at their monthly meeting and an interesting paper was read by Mrs. F. Fenwick.

Bowles

"The Conservator." June 20th, 1912.

JOHN BOWLES.

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(OBITUARY).

Mr. John Bowles, a pioneer of Chinguacousy township, Peel county, passed away at his home, Sandhill, at the age of almost eighty-four years. His parents came from Tipperary in 1827, settling at first in Toronto, but a few months after his birth moving to Sandhill, where the rest of his life was spent. Mr. Bowles was a lifelong Methodist, serving the Church for years as class leader, steward, Sunday school superintendent, and local preacher, in the latter capacity doing a great deal of travelling and work along with his younger brothers, Sheriff Bowles of Orangeville and Mr. George Bowles (father of Professor R. P. Bowles of Victoria College), who died about two months ago. He was a man of strong principles and deep convictions, quite a student of the Bible, and a pronounced temperance man, who worked zealously for the Dunkin act and the Scott act in their times; one who consistently supported all things tending to the welfare of the community and in politics a steadfast Liberal. Six sons and one daughter are left;--Charles, in Manitoba; George, a physician, in Toronto; Mrs. John Raine, in Tullamore, Peel County; Rev. Isaac G. Methodist pastor in Barrie, William on the old homestead, Albert, a lawyer in Winnipeg, and Harvey, real estate dealer in Winnipeg.

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CHINGUACOUSY TWP. MINUTES

TOWN HALL

pg. 174

12 August, 1907.

...
A communication was received and read from G. H. Bowles
Medical Health Officer tendering his resignation as
such officer he having sold his practice
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CHINGUACOUSY TWP. MINUTES

TOWN HALL

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8 May, 1911.

...communication...

Also the resignation of Mr Bowles as Treasurer of the
Township of Chinguacousy

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Core of Toronto Minutes

Township Hall, January 20th, 1896.

Resolved that John Hooper, Wilson Fleming and William Kersey with the Reeve and Clerk be constituted a Board of Health for the Township for the present year and that Dr. Bowles be and he is hereby appointed Medical Health Officer.

Carried.

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ps.

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Gore of Toronto Minutes

Township Hall January 11th, 1897

(...) appointed as a Board of Health for the
year Wilson Garbutt ~~three~~ years term Wilson
Fleming two years term William Kersey one
year term and that Dr. Bowles be appointed
Medical Health Officer

Carried

MOORE OF TORONTO MINUTES

Township Hall Jan 9th 1899.

.....the Board of Health for the present year

The Reeve and Clerk and Messrs. Wilson, Fleming,

William Kersey and Wilson Garbutt and that George

H. Bowles, M.D. be appointed Medical Health Officer.

Carries.

Bowles

H.S.

the sanction of that society, I
good, as it might be the means of
many places, where there are at
that have already been established
probable that they might supply
of which we stand in great need

Bowles

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GORE OF TORONTO MINUTES

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Township Hall January 8th 1906

.....that Wm. Davison be reappointed member of
the Board of Health and that Dr. Geor. H. Bowles be
appointed Medical Health Officer for the Township.

(Carried)

h.s.

1878)

William - 11 November

Richard - 10 March 1

William - 23 October

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1819, arriving in York (T

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Bowles
GORE OF TORONTO MINUTES

Township Hall, Aug 26, 1907

...That the resignation of Dr. Bowles be
accepted, and that Dr. Vanderlip be appointed
in his place. Also that Dr. Bowles be paid
\$10.00 for his services as M.H.O.

Carried

repairs
P. 14
Pursuant
to the order
of the whole
Court-up House
ship of Abbot.
Carried.

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GORE OF TORONTO MINUTES

Bowles

Township Hall, Aug¹⁰ 26, 1897

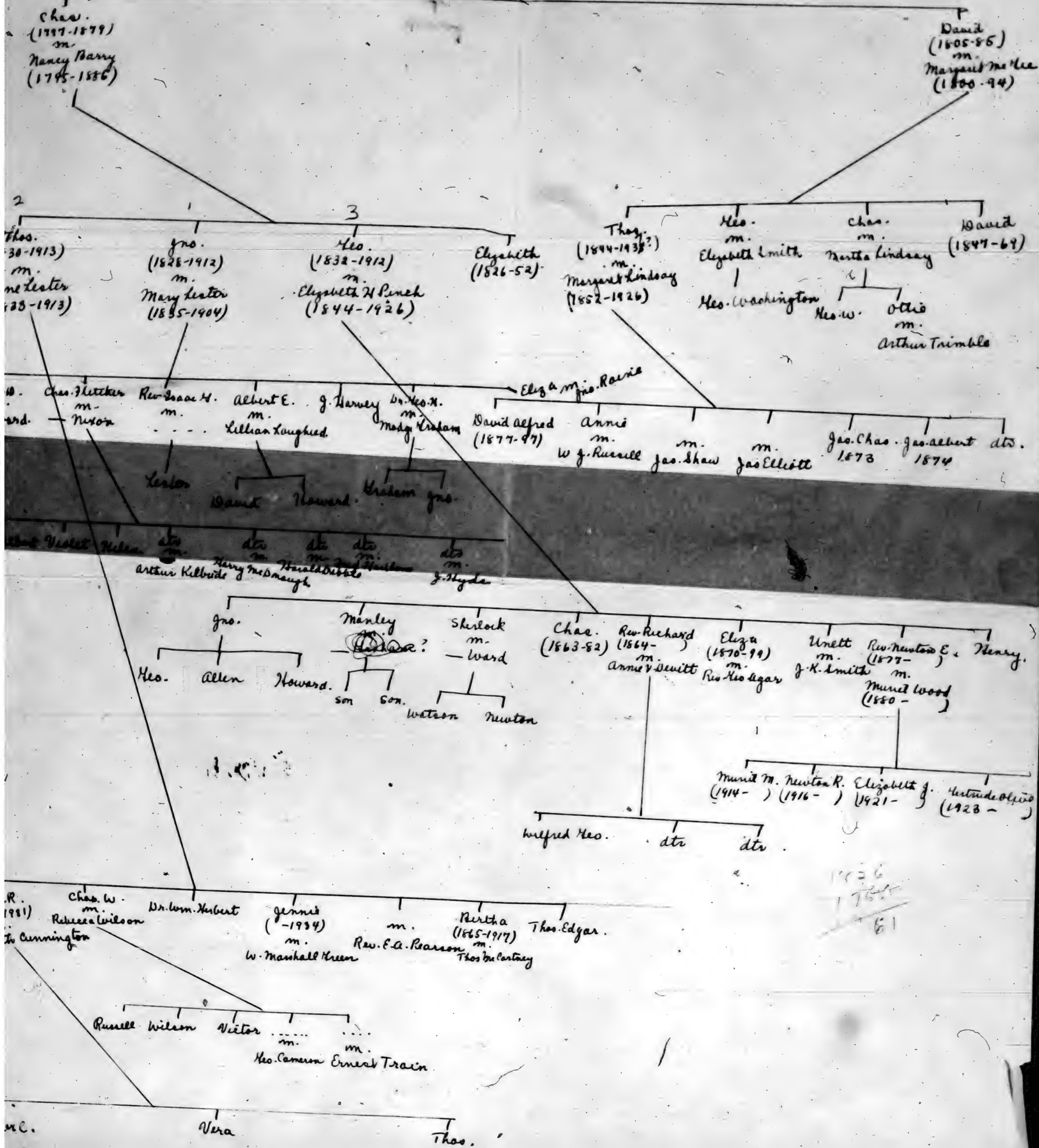
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\$10.00 for his services as M.H.O.

Carried

Bowles
Hes.
(1765-1830)
m.
Barbara Lawrence
(1776-1854)

Mary 1767-1855

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Bowles

Lots & Concessions

Union Twp

5429

George Bowles 50ac L 20
X
in
1846-50

is in 1837 Directory.

listed in
1877 map.

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Albion Twp
Bowles

5429

* N¹/₄ Lot 24 Con 5. 24 March 1829 George Bowles 50ac £20
Same Bowles in
Elizabeth B. in 1846 8-50 X

* N¹/₄ Lot 24 Con 5 Eliz. Bowles is in 1837 Directory.

* N¹/₄ Lot 24 Con 5, Sam Bowles, is ^{listed in} 1877 map.

Ching. Twp. East

5430

✓ * Lot 32 Con 5 21 May 1839 David Bowles 50 ac £75 X

✓ * Lot 32 Con 5 23 May 1871 Thomas Bowles Jr. 50 ac \$1400 X

✓ * Lot 33 Con 5 13 May 1880 Thomas Bowles 90 ac \$2050 X

✓ * Lot 33 Con 5 21 Sep 1883 Thomas Bowles ^(deed) 10 ac \$775 X
Sherriff of Crangville

✓ * Lot 33 Con 5 1 Jan 1887 Chas. W. Bowles 100 ac \$1 X
son of above Crampton Pl

✓ * Lot 31 Con 6 1 Jan 1887 Isaac Robert Bowles W $\frac{1}{2}$ 100 ac \$3000 X

~~Lot 31 Con 6 17 Dec 1866 Thomas Bowles 50 ac \$2000~~
ll.

✓ * Lot 32 Con 6 26 Nov 1866 George Bowles 100 ac \$4000 X
Father of Chancellor Bowles

✓ * Lot 32 Con 6 19 Dec 1895 Charles W. Bowles 30 ac \$1 X

✓ * Lot 34 Con 6 25 Oct 1892 George Bowles NE $\frac{1}{4}$ 50 ac \$1 X

* Lot 32 Con 5 David Bowles is in 1877 Directory

Ching Twp. East.

Ching West No NE

5431

* Lot 27 Con 5 10 Jan 1805 Charles Bowles E $\frac{1}{2}$ £ 337.10 +

* Lot 27 Con 5 10 July 1912 Wm D Bowles E $\frac{1}{2}$ 100 ac \$1.00 X

* Lot 27 Con 5 19 Feb 1855 John Bowles E $\frac{1}{2}$ £ 100. X
Trustee Sandhill Meth Church 1911.

* Lot 28 Con 5 8 Apr 1875 John Bowles E $\frac{1}{2}$ 100 ac \$5500 X

* Lot 28 Con 5 10 July 1912 Wm D. Bowles 100 ac \$1.00 X

* Lot 29 Con 5 10 Sep 1886 Thomas Bowles 50 ac \$3300 X

* Lot 31 Con 5 6 Feb 1828 Charles Bowles 100 ac £31/10 X

B * Lot 31 Con 5 30 Nov 1868 George Bowles 100 ac \$400

* Lot 32 Con 5 11 Jan 1847 Charles Bowles 50 ac £200 +

JK

duplicate

Bowles

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Chinquacousy E.

* N^o 1 Lot 31 Con 6 E. 27 Mar 1857, Mrs. Bowles, N^o 1, 8, 200.

Shiriff (L. Luffin) for some years, Canadian
Settled 1830, Farmer & grain merchant.

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CHINGUACOUSY TWP. MINUTES

TOWN HALL

17 January, 187^b.

...

Reeve. Thomas Bowles.

Deputy Reeves. J. P. Hutton & Edw'd. T. Haggard.

Councillors. Richard Hewson & Alex'r. Cunningham.

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Brewer George A. 1849 Lett. v. 8.
 Brewer George A. 1849-70 & 71-77 5434
 5- Thos Brewer & Hemmick Quoney. Liberal. Mich.
 Contributed to Mission Fund of Allion Meth Chapel. 1854

Margaret Susan Wilson of Galveston East.

Timothy - carpenter
 Lizzie - married John Honey
 Alfred - " Katherine May
 Liza Ann - Spinster
 Dussia - married Wm. Hummer
 Charles P. - school teacher

FAMILY HISTORY

Name? George Bowles
 Lot and Concession? Ching. East
 Date of Birth? 1832 near Sandhill
 Place of Burial? Providence
 Parents? Charles Bowles and
 Where did they live? Ching
 From where did they come?
 Wife's Name? Elizabeth
 Wife's father's name?
 Date of wife's Birth?
 Place of wife's Birth?
 What was 1832?

What office
 Province
 Treas.?
 Supt.?
 Local
 J.P.
 To

Ching. East.
John Henry
Katharine
Ann
Rich

Ching. East. 1854 5434

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FAMILY HISTORY

Name? George Bowles
Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5. 1868. \$400.
Date of Birth? 1832 ^{near} Date of Death? 1912
Place of Burial? Providence, Albion.
Parents? Charles Bowles and Ann Hansey Barry
Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5.
From where did they come and when? Ireland, Co. Tipperary, 1826
Wife's Name? Elizabeth Hunett Pinch (Married in 1861)
Wife's father's name? Rev. Richard Pinch ^{of mono meth. Church 1861}
Wife's father's place of Residence?
Date of wife's Birth? 1844 Date of Wife's Death? 1926
Place of wife's Burial? Providence, Albion.
What was George Bowles's Occupation? Farmer. ^{settled 1832}
Religion? Methodist
Politics? Liberal
What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?
Treas. Twp. of Chinguacousy
Supt. Sunday School, Caesar's Meth. Church.
Local Preacher
J.P. Mono Road, 1880
To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?
Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

(2)

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Name George Bowles Lot and Concession Lot 31, Con. 5.

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name	(2) date of birth	(3) place of residence	(4) date of death	(5) place of burial	(6) to whom married.
(1) <u>John</u>	(2) <u>Dev.</u>	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) <u>Manley (Dr.)</u>	(2)	(3) <u>Winnipeg, Man.</u>	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) <u>Sherlock</u>	(2)	(3) <u>Neville, Sask.</u>	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) <u>Charlie</u>	(2) <u>1863</u>	(3) <u>Lot 31, Con. 5, Ching. East.</u>	(4) <u>1882</u>	(5) <u>Providence, Albion.</u>	(6) <u>Unmarried</u>
(1) <u>Richard P. (Rev.)</u>	(2) <u>1864</u>	(3) <u>Toronto, later Nestleton, Ont.</u>	(4)	(5)	(6) <u>Annie V. Devitt</u>
(1) <u>Eliza</u>	(2) <u>1870</u>	(3)	(4) <u>1899</u>	(5) <u>Providence, Albion</u>	(6) <u>Rev. George Agar</u>
(1) <u>Unett</u>	(2)	(3) <u>Edmonton, Alta.</u>	(4)	(5)	(6) <u>J.K. Smith.</u>
(1) <u>Newton E. (Rev.)</u>	(2) <u>1877</u>	(3) <u>Dixie, Ont.</u>	(4)	(5)	(6) <u>Muriel Wood.</u>

ALSO OWNED: Chinguacousy East, lot 32, Con. 6. 100 ac. / 1866
lot 34, Con. 6. 50 ac. / 1892

Any other information.
celebrated Golden Wedding in 1911
Retired to Brampton in 1906.

26 Nov.
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N.E. 14
25 Oct.

Conservator

1 June 1911

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Bowles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bowles of Church street, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday of this week. Their five sons were home to assist in keeping the anniversary. John, Manley and Sherlock from the West, Professor Richard Bowles of Toronto and another son, from ^{Newton} China. Miss Unett Bowles, the only surviving daughter was also present, together with many relatives and guests. Fifty years ago Mr. and Mrs. Bowles were made man and wife, Mrs. Bowles' father, a minister on the Mono circuit performing the ceremony., Rev. W. G. Watson, of Brampton was present on that occasion. Seven children were born to them, one daughter dying some years ago. Addresses were presented to the worthy couple by the members of the family the congregation of Grace Church and the Women's Missionary Society and many gifts bestowed, including gold-headed canes, gold-headed umbrellas, a grandfather's clock and many other handsome presents.

"The Conservator." March 14th, 1912.

GEORGE BOWLES

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Biography

Mr. George Bowles died at his home on Church Street on Friday of last week after a long illness. He was in his 80th year and had been confined to the house since the fall. Mr. Bowles was one of the best known farmers of the Township of Ching-uacousy and occupied the position of treasurer of the township for many years. He removed to Brampton from the vicinity of Sandhill some years ago and resided here continuously. In politics he was a Liberal and in religion a member of the Methodist church. He is survived by a widow, six sons and a daughter, another daughter, Mrs. Agar, died some years ago. The funeral took place on Monday to Sandhill cemetery, a large number of old friends of the deceased being present.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bowles

Ching

Mrs. Elizabeth Unett Bowles, widow of the late George Bowles of Brampton and mother of Chancellor R.P. Bowles of Victoria University, died Sunday morning in La Mont Hospital, Alberta, after nearly a year's illness. Deceased, who was a daughter of the late Rev. Richard Pinch was a woman of exemplary Christian character and for many years a highly respected citizen of Chinguacousy Township. Her marriage took place about 66 years ago, and almost 20 years ago when her husband retired from the farm near Mono Road, she moved to Brampton. Since her husband's death about 13 years ago, she has lived with her daughter at La Mont, Alberta.

FAMILY HISTORY

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Name? REV. RICHARD PINCH BOWLES, B.A., M.A., B.D., D.D., LL.D.

Lot and Concession?

Date of Birth? 1864 *on father's page
more road* Date of Death? Living

Place of Burial?

Parents? George Bowles and Elizabeth Pinch

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Annie E. Devitt

Wife's father's Name? James Devitt

Wife's Father's place of Residence?

Date of wife's Birth? Date of wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was Richard P. Bowles Occupation? Minister - Chancellor of
Victoria College.

Religion? Methodist (United)

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County,
Province, School and Church?

Pastor Grace Church, Winnipeg
Sherbourne St. Methodist Church, Toronto
Metropolitan Church, Toronto

Past President Victoria College

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure bred stock? If so, what breed?

CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

- (1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom Married.

Wilfred George - Lawyer - but later went
into business.
2 daughters -

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information:

Education - Public & High School Brampton & Victoria
College
Retired 1930 (?) Living at Nestleton, Ont.

"I am inclined to think that Chancellor Bowles of Victoria College attended this school" Dr. Thornton.

Phoenixville School. See Dr. R. D. Horton interview

Extract of letter from Walter T. Brown, Esq., Principal,
Victoria College, dated 27 Nov. 1934.

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"With respect to Chancellor Bowles - he was born in 1864 at
Mono Road near Brampton. He graduated in Arts from Victoria
in 1885, and in 1888 received his M. A. and his B. D. In 1905 he
was appointed professor of home^{life}etics in Victoria College, and
in 1913 was appointed Chancellor. He retired on January 20, 1950.

In this connection you may be interested in the plan of
the Alumni Association. You will recall that last year you
generously gave to the Alumni Fund for scholarships and bursaries.
When that fund reaches an amount that will pay an annual
interest of \$125.00 it is the intention to present it for a
scholarship, and to name it after a distinguished member of the
Victoria Faculty. While I cannot speak with certainty I feel
sure that the first scholarship will be called the R. P. Bowles
scholarship. This, however, belongs to the future."

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From letter from Lillian Warne Bell, *Oakville*

I do hope you have included in your history of Peel County - some of the teachers. The Bowles family from Sandhill have made their mark. "Isaac Bowles" was once what we called a "Modelite" and he became a leading light in one of the Universities, Victoria, I think.

Bowles

FAMILY HISTORY

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Rev. Newton Ernest Bowles

Lot and Concession? Dixie, Ont. (Bethesda Church)

Date of Birth? 1877 on Mono Rd. Date of Death? Living

Place of Burial?

Parents? George Bowles and Elizabeth Pinch

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when?

Wife's Name? Muriel Wood - *graduate nurse*

Wife's father's Name? George Wood.

Wife's father's place of Residence? Toronto.

Date of wife's Birth? 1880 Date of wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was Rev. N.E. Bowles' Occupation? Minister

Religion? Methodist (United)

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County,

Province, School and Church?

Pastor Laurel Church, Dufferin Co.

St. David's Church, near Niagara Falls, 1927

- Bethesda Church, Dixie, 1932

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Sandhill Football Club (One of the organizers, 1898)

Did he raise any pure bred stock? If so, what breed?

CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

(1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To Whom married.

(1) Muriel Margaret (2) 1914

(1) Newton Rowell (2) 1916

(1) Elizabeth Joy (2) 1921

(1) Gertrude Olive (2) 1923

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information:

Taught school for a 1½ years in "Kennedy School House" below Sandhill.

Missionary in China from 1906 to 1926, at Chengtu.

Graduate of Victoria Coll. Univ. of Toronto.

attended Public School on 6th line, then SS #16 Ching
lot 30 Con 4 E., High School - Orangeville; Brimpton;
the old Model School Orangeville;

His hobby was chickens

the Enterprise, 21 May, 1936

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In days of Yore

40 yrs ago

With Newton Beale now owning
a brand new wheel it is expected
Sand Hill will organize a bicycle
club.

double copy
to attach it, to
only by J.M.S.
1931, under by R.D.
McKay from Elmbank
his collection.

passed & returned by
Rev. Mr. Bowles 25 April

Interview with Newton
 Ernest Bowles - April
 19/33 - Port Credit.

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The Bowles came from
Tipperary Ireland in 18
grandfather secured lot 31
line East Chinguacousy in
Early thirties - which remains
in the Bowles possession till 19

Bowles - Newton Ernest

Islington R.R. #1

Born in 1877 - Mono Road

Went to Public School in the old ^{first} then to
 6th line - ~~School Section 16~~
 Chinguacousy - Brampton and Orangeville.

SS-16 Chinguacousy
lot 30. 4 line East

Also the Attended High School in Orangeville - and Brampton
 old model school - also Victoria College.

in Bram Orangeville -
taught school for 1 1/2 years in "Kennedy School
House" but lots below Sandhill

Preacher of United Church.

Spent most of his life in China. -
 from 1906 till 1926 was in Sadchawn,
 City of Chengtu, China

He was connected with Laurel Church,
 Dufferin County for one year, also one
 year North New Liskeard - since he
 returned from China he has been in
 St. David's Church - near Niagara
 Falls.

St David's

Came to Dixie from China a year last
 July.

Wife:- Muriel Wood - born in Toronto

Gen. Bowles
family

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Meredith Crescent,
Toronto, Ontario,
April 20, 1933.

Newton Ernest Bowles Esq.,
R. R. #1,
Islington, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Herewith please find copy of notes taken
at Port Credit at the interview you were kind
enough to give yesterday.

I want to thank you for the interest you
showed by coming out and helping in this way.

Will you please look carefully over these
notes? We have left ample margin and space on
the paper - make any corrections that occur to
you, and please fill in whatever we have missed
out, or any additional thoughts that have crossed
your mind since our talk yesterday and return the
paper to me in the enclosed envelope as early as
you conveniently can, and oblige, I am,

Yours faithfully,

W. P. B.

Wm. Perkins Bull

WPB/MA

Bowles, Newton Ernest.

(He also remembers the Neelands
as very good musicians.)

Member of Forester's Lodge - Caledon
East.

no
not a member

As for sports he enjoyed Soccer -
he together with W. D. Bowles and
the Neeland Brothers were responsible
for the Sandhill Football Club -
organized in 1898 or 1899 - he also
played in this team.

They also won a

They played Tullamore several times
and which Tullamore won the first game;
but they took the Cup, July 1st - at
1st of July Athletic Celebration,
Inglewood 1901 - or Tullamore (?)

Sandhill won
the second
game

Members of team as far as he remembers
are W. D. Bowles - Reeve of County,
Dr. Roland Neelands, Dr. Hugh Neelands
and five brothers (?)

for Neelands
Abe Neelands - Will Neelands
Geo. Martin - Harry Bowles -
W. Rutherford.

Ching
Album

His hobby was chickens.

(George Clarkson, R.R.#1, Islington for further
information) re Bethesda Church. Dundas Highway

Bowles, Newton Ernest

Also member of Providence Church --
Sandhill Cemetery 1st Concession over
in Albion from Chinguaousy, one mile
north of Sandhill.

no

*Held in 4th
line school.
Section 16 Chinguaousy*

Older brother had debating club --
Phoenixville - Speaker was Frank
Blanchard, other speakers were two
brothers: - John, Sherlock, Lawson
Caesar, now Professor in Guelph;
W. J. Alexander, Alex. Faulkner, Roland
Neelands, James Wilson and Robert
Calwell.

President

They met at school house, lot 30,
4th line east, Chinguaousy.

*This was in reply to
the question of I remembered
any subject used in
their debates.*

Subject: - "RESOLVE THAT NATURE IS MORE TO
BE ADMIRER THAN ART". - debates took
place about 1890 or 1893.

1866 to 1890

There was a Public Library ^{at} on Mono Road.

Also a ^{small} Library in Sunday School being there
as long as he can remember. - started before
1890. His cousin had charge of Library ~~at Mono Road~~
Maud Bowles and other cousin James Caesar for
some time.

*fine
arts*

He remembers Miss Shields as a good artist
who taught painting around 1885.
fo

Bowles - Newton Ernest

about 1880 - her father was George
Wood - who was born in England -
~~now living in Toronto.~~

Mrs. Bowles graduated in nursing in
Elmira N. Y.

Children:- 4

Muriel Margaret - born in China 1914

Newton Rowell - born in China 1916.

Elizabeth Joy - born, Toronto 1921.

Gertrude Olive - Born in China 1923.

~~School house 3rd line near corner Dundas
Highway (7)~~

Newton Ernest Bowles was member of Caesar
Methodist Church - Chinguacousy - his
father took a prominent part in it.

George Bowles

7th Date.

1938

Victoria Chancellor And Wife Celebrate Golden Wedding

On Sunday Rev. Dr. R. P. Bowles, Chancellor Emeritus of Victoria College, and Mrs. Bowles celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home on the shores of Lake Scugog, near Caesarea. The anniversary date having come on a Sunday, the celebration was quietly observed, the occasion being marked by the presence of only a few relatives and more intimate friends.

Amid a profusion of flowers adorning the interior of the home the guests were served with buffet luncheon, the table in the dining room being beautifully decorated with flowers and candles and bearing a huge wedding cake which was cut by the bride of 80 years ago, assisted by her husband.

Among the immediate relatives present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid G. Bowles son and daughter-in-law; Rev. N. E. Bowles, brother, and Mrs. Bowles; Dr. James Devitt and Mrs. Devitt, of Bowmanville, and Mr. and Mrs. Sisson, of Milliken, Ont., the latter a sister of Mrs. Bowles.

Messages of congratulation and good wishes were received from many friends and relatives in Ontario and the west.

A rather pleasing feature of the day's celebration was the presentation of a bouquet of flowers to the happy couple during the morning service conducted each Sunday morning by Dr. Bowles in the small church at Caesarea.

8TH SEPT. 38.

WERE MARRIED FIFTY YEARS AGO

Rev. R. P. and Mrs. Bowles,
Well-known in Peel Cele-
brate Golden Wedding

The golden wedding anniversary was quietly celebrated on Sunday, on the shores of Lake Scugog, near Caesarea, of Rev. R. P. Bowles and Mrs. Bowles. Mr. Bowles was born in Peel County, near Mono Road, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bowles. He attended Brampton High School before proceeding to university, eventually graduating as a minister. He became Chancellor Emeritus of Victoria College and in his ministerial work has travelled across the length and breadth of Canada. Rev. Newton Bowles, minister of Dixie United Church, is a brother. Messages of congratulations and good wishes were received from many parts of Ontario and the West. A buffet lunch was served, and a huge wedding cake was cut by the bride of fifty years, with her husband assisting.

During the morning service conducted by Dr. Bowles at Caesarea Church, a bouquet was presented to the couple.

University of Toronto, June 1937

Bowles

1908
ALLAN BOWLES, V. is principal of
Magee High School in Vancouver.
Rev V. C. SPENCER, T. of Nagoya,
Japan, should be addressed in care of
The Misses Rigby, Port Hope, Ont.

1909
R. S. WOOLLATT, D. has been named
president for 1907-38 of the Ontario
Dental Association.

1910
SMIRLE LAWSON, M. was recently
appointed Chief Coroner of Toronto
and Supervising Coroner for Ontario in
succession to the late Dr M. M. Crawford, '98 M.

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sm of fms. 7*

FAMILY HISTORY

10.

Name? CHARLES BOWLES

5486

Lot and Concession? Mono Road,, later Orangeville.

Date of Birth?

Date of Death?

Place of Burial?

Parents? David Bowles and Margaret *Two Glee*

Where did they live? Ching: East, lot 32, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when? Co. Tipperary, Ireland. 1826

Wife's Name?

Wife's Father's Name?

Wife's Father's place of Residence?

Date of wife's Birth?

Date of wife's Death?

Place of Wife's Burial?

What was *Chas. Bowles* Occupation? Blacksmith

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County,
Province, School and Church?

Deputy Sheriff of Dufferin County.

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure bred stock? If so, what breed?

Name Charles Bowles

5438

CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

(1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence

(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom married.

(1) George W. Bowles (2) (3) 188 Rushton Rd. Toronto.
(4) (5) (6)

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information:

5461

Verey Brean
1864 Lot 2 Con 6 W.

Lot 2 Con 6 W.

5457

Wife

Born on down on the town line, lives in a house that is over
100 years old, built by a Mr. Manes.

Community, Townsh

To what Societies or Military Organization did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

FAMILY HISTORY

Name?

Lot and Concession?

Date of Birth?

Place of Burial?

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they

Wife's Name?

Wife's Father's

Wife's Father's

Date of wife

Place of

What w

Name Charles Bowles

CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

(1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence

(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom married.

(1) George W. Bowles (2) (3) 188 Rushton Rd. Toronto.
(4) (5) (6)

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information:

5459

ORANGEVILLE BANNER

20th January 1938.

**ARTHUR TRIMBLE DIED
IN HIS 61st YEAR**

Arthur V. Trimble, Indian Grove, Toronto, an engineer with the Hydro Electric Commission for 26 years, died in the Toronto Western hospital last week in his 61st year. Born in Trafalgar township, he was the son of the late William and Mary Trimble. He was a director of God's Lake Mining Co. and the Sand River Mining Co. He was twice married, his first wife having been Miss Otille Bowles, only daughter of Governor Charles Bowles, of Orangeville. His second wife, formerly Miss Jessie Norris, of Owen Sound, survives and two daughters, Mrs. T. G. Blette, Toronto, by the first marriage, and Miss Mary J. Trimble. Also surviving are three brothers, William J. and E. Frank, of Toronto, and Herbert J., of Vancouver, and one sister, Mrs. E. J. Osborne, Whitby.

Name
 Lot and Concessions
 Date of Birth
 Place of Birth
 Parents
 Where did they live
 From where did they go
 Wife's name
 Wife's father's name
 Wife's father's place
 Date of wife's birth
 Place of wife's birth
 Wife's name

1810
 Amos
 Dutch extraction. He & his 2 brothers Wm & Nathan were first settlers
 survey. Amos settled Lot 10 in 1810 now Dave Cordings's farm

5460

FAMILY HISTORY

5461

Name? DAVID BOWLES

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 32, Con. 5 1839

Date of Birth? 1805

Date of Death? 1885

Place of Burial? Providence, Albion.

Parents? George Bowles and Barbara Providence

Where did they live? Co. Tipperary, Ireland, later Ching. E.

Con. 5, lot 31

From where did they come and when? Co. Tipperary, Ireland, about

Wife's name? Margaret McCree

1833

Wife's father's name?

Wife's father's place of Residence?

Date of wife's Birth? 1800

Date of wife's Death? 1894

Place of wife's Burial? Providence, Albion.

What was David Bowles's... Occupation? Farmer

Religion? Wesleyan Methodist

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organization did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

Name David Bowles..... Lot and Concession Lot 32..Con. 5.....

CHILDREN

(if any)

Please list as follows:-

(1) Name	(2) date of birth	(3) place of residence	(4) date of death	(5) place of burial	(6) to whom married.
(1) <u>Thomas</u>	(2) 1844	(3) Lot 32, Con. 5, Ching. East, later Mono Rd.	(4)	(5)	(6) Margaret Lindsay
(1) <u>George</u>	(2)	(3) U. S. A.	(4)	(5)	(6) Elizabeth Smith
(1) <u>Charles</u>	(2)	(3) Orangeville, Ont.	(4)	(5)	(6) Martha Lindsay.
(1) <u>David</u>	(2) 1847	(3) Lot 32, Con. 5, Ching. East	(4) 1869	(5) Providence, Albion	(6) Unmarried

Charles was for 35 yrs. Governor of gaol at Orangeville

ALSO OWNED:

Any further information:

according to 1877 Directory there is a David Bowles on Lot 32. Con. 5.

Younger & only brother of Charles original Bowles settler. Came out several yrs. after Charles. When only 13 yrs

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L O S T,

IN or near Springfield, Toronto Township, three Notesof Hand--one against John Kinney of Trafalgar, for¹⁴~~17~~ 14-⁸, one for 7^s 5^d and another for ⁸13s. 10d. currency.

against David Kinney, same place. I therefore forbid all
persons from buying or collecting said notes after this
date.

THOMAS BOWELS.

At Wm. Trotter's, Springfield.

Springfield, October 1, 1835.

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Bowles

PROVIDENCE CEMETERY

5464

BOWELS ** BOWLES

See Cummings

(On Half-buried white marble slab)

George BOWELS, died 1830, aged 65 years. ✓

Barbara, his wife, died 1854. *9.78*

David, son of David & Margaret BOWLES, died 1869, aged 22 years.

Mary BOWLES, died 1855, aged 88 years.

*82
1867*
This stone was erected by grandchildren as a
tribute of affection to one who in life watched over
them with the tenderest solicitation.

14 Aug 8 Mar
George BOWELS, 1832 died 1912.

Hunett Pinch
Elizabeth ~~Hunett~~ Pransh, wife of the above died 1926 in
her 82nd years. *June 6*

*Little Harry (s. of George?)
d. 17 July 1884 a. 5 years*

Chas. BOWLES, native of Tipperary, Ireland, 1797, came to
Canada, May, 1827, and fell asleep in Jesus, *10 Dec.* 1879.

24 Feb.
Ann, wife of the above, died 1886 in 92 year.

Elizabeth, dau. of the above died 1852 aged 26 years.

"changed mortality for life"

Our dear Charlie, son of George and Elizabeth BOWLES, died 1882, *a. 19*

PROVIDENCE CEMETERY

BOWLES - 2. *See Cunninghamtons*

aged 19 years.

17 May
Eliza BOWLES, wife of the Rev. G. Agar, died 1893, in her 29th year.

6666

Thos. BOWLES, 1850-1913.

Jane Lester BOWLES, 1853-1919

David BOWLES died 1885 aged 80 years.

Margaret, his wife, died 1894, aged 94 years.

David their son, died 1869, aged 22 years.

Margaret Lindsay, born 1852, died 1926.

Sons of Thos. & Margaret BOWLES.

David Alfred, died 1897, aged 20 years.

James Charles, born Mar., died Nov. 1873.

James Albert, born Feb., died Nov. 1874.

27 June 16 June
John BOWLES, 1828-1912.

W- Mary Lester, 1835-1904.

2 Apr. 12 Oct.

Ann Jane
b. 3 July 1878
d. 6 Mar. 1880
Agnes Marretta
b. 17 Dec. 1861
d. 11 Aug. 1903.

M^{rs} P^hail & Ross.

Solicitors, Attorneys-at-Law, Conveyancers, etc. 1858.

Their office was opposite Fringh's Hotel, upstairs.

5466



FAMILY HISTORY.

B.

5467

Name? SAMUEL BOWLES

Lot & Concession? *living on lot* Albion, Con. 5. lot 24. N¹/₄ 1877

Date of birth?

Date of death?

Place of burial?

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name?

Wife's parent's names?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth?

Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was Occupation?

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

NAME? Samuel Bowles

LOT & CON.? Albion, Con. 5, Lot 34.

CHILDREN (IF ANY)

Please list as follows:

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(1) Name (2) Date of birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of death (5) Place of burial (6) To whom married

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

ALSO OWNED:

ANY FURTHER INFORMATION:

N 1/4 Lot 24 Con. 5 listed in 1877 map

FAMILY HISTORY.

5489

12.

Name? ELIZABETH BOWLES

Lot & Concession? Albion, Con. 5, lot 24, N 1/4 1837

Date of birth?

Date of death?

Place of burial?

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name?

Wife's parent's names?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth?

Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was Occupation?

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

NAME? Elizabeth Bowles... LOT & CON.? Albion, Con. 5, lot 24.

CHILDREN (IF ANY) Please list as follows: 5470

(1) Name (2) Date of birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of death (5) Place of burial (6) To whom married

(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)

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(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)

(5) (6)

ALSO OWNED:

ANY FURTHER INFORMATION:

7 1/4 Lot 24 Con. 5 is in 1837 Registry

CHINGUACOUSY TWP. MINUTES

TOWN HALL

pg. 156

14 January, 1907.

Wilkinson -- Dennison

...that John Cation be appointed a Member of the Board of Health for three years Ralph Brown for two years and Wm. J Ward for one year together with the Reeve and clerk and that Geo H Bowles M.D. be health Officer and that John Cation be appointed health Inspector for 1907...

Crown Land Letters.

5472

Bowles
May the 22th 1930

Mr. Robinson Sir I am Well acquainted With lot 15 in
the first Concession of Albion And There is nothing
done on the lot only What John Conell has Done by any
other Person -- Given onder My hand
In Albion on No 12 James Price.

I do Certify the Above

(sgnd) Charles Bowles.

A Nonagenarian



THOMAS BOWLES

Well-known Mono Road citizen joined the ranks of Peel's nonagenarians when he celebrated his ninetieth birthday last Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Shaw. In spite of his advanced age, Mr. Bowles is still active about his daughter's farm. He was sheriff officer in the Mono Road district for many years. One of his pastimes is shooting and he accounted for a great many ground hogs during the summer months.

5473

W. H. W. 27 March 12000

ast, lot 31, Con. 5. 1854.

Date of Death? 1913

Albion.

~~an~~ *Nancy Barry*

lot 31, Con. 5.

when? *Supperary, Ireland, 1826*

Lester

dence? Albion, lot 6, Con. 1.

ate of wife's Death? 1919

dence, Albion.

ocation? *Farmer & Grain Merchant.*

Director C.V. Ry.

gion? Wesleyan Methodist.

ties? Liberal

he Community, Township, County

Methodist Local Preacher

Councillor, Twp. 1863-67

Sheriff of Dufferin Co.

Magistrate, Mono Road, 1877

Candidate for Parliament 3 times

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Active member Temperance Societies.

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

Thos. son of Chas.

Clark, James - b. 1820 - d. 1907

Chingacousy W.

Con. 4: Lot 16

1. Hugh Clark and Jean Vincent of 5474
Glasgow, Scotland, and Con 4 Lot 16
West Chingacousy.

m. Elizabeth Lyons d. of James Lyons
of Cheltenham

Children: Hugh George - of Wigtown

Jean (Mrs John Watkins)

John Lyons Lot 16 Con 4 W Ching.

Elizabeth unmarried.

James Clark was a well known farmer of Ching.
Twp. and one of the largest land owners
in the County. He specialized in pure-bred
cattle and horses and won many prizes
in the 1860's and '70's at the Toronto and
Hamilton Exhibitions.

3473

FAMILY HISTORY

W. H. 27 March 12000

Name? Thomas Bowles

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5. 1854.

Date of Birth? 1830 Date of Death? 1913

Place of Burial? Providence, Albion.

Parents? Charles Bowles and ~~Ann~~ *Nancy Barker*

Where did they live? Ching. lot 31, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when? *Lifferry, Ireland, 1826*

Wife's Name? Jane Lester.

Wife's father's name? Isaac Lester

Wife's father's place of Residence? Albion, lot 6, Con. 1.

Date of wife's Birth? 1833 Date of wife's Death? 1919

Place of wife's Burial? Providence, Albion.

What was ~~Thomas Bowles's~~ *Thomas Bowles's* Occupation? Farmer & Grain Merchant.
(moved to here 1874)
Director C.V. Ry.

Religion? Wesleyan Methodist.

Politics? Liberal

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

<u>Overseer of Highways</u>	<u>Methodist Local Preacher</u>
<u>J.P.</u>	
<u>Reeve of Ching. for 10 years.</u>	<u>Councillor, Twp. 1863-67</u>
<u>Marden of Peel 15 years.</u>	<u>Sheriff of Dufferin Co.</u>
<u>School Commissioner for Peel 1873</u>	<u>Magistrate, Mono Road, 1877</u>
<u>Candidate for Parliament 3 times</u>	

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?
Active member Temperance Societies.

meet - Adds on platform

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

Name Thomas Bowles..... Lot and Concession Lot 31, Con. 6.

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name	(2) date of birth	(3) place of residence	(4) date of death	(5) place of burial	(6) to whom married.
(1) <u>Isaac R.</u>	(2) 1859	(3) Ching. E. lot 31, Con. 6, later Toronto	(4) 1931	(5) Providence, Albion.	(6) Elizabeth Cunningham
(1) <u>Chas. W.</u>	(2)	(3) Ching. E., lot 33, Con. 5, later Brampton	(4)	(5)	(6) Rebecca Wilson.
(1) <u>Dr. Herbert</u>	(2)	(3) Orangeville	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1)	(2)	(3) Orangeville, Ont.	(4)	(5)	(6) Marshall Green.
(1)	(2)	(3) Toronto, Ont.	(4)	(5)	(6) Rev. E.A. Pearson
(1) <u>Bertha</u>	(2) 1865	(3) Caledon East	(4) 1917	(5)	(6) Thos. McCartney

Thos. Edgar merchant in Winnipeg & Orangeville

ALSO OWNED: Chinguacousy East lot 32, Con. 6, 1866 50 ac.
 13 May & lot 33, Con. 5, 1880 90 ac.
 21 Sept & lot 33, Con. 5, 1883 10 ac.
 10 Sept & lot 29, Con. 5, 1886 50 ac.

Any further information.

Conducted a large grain business in Mono Road in the 1870's
 County Director for the Credit Valley Railway

Warder of Peel when Bolton was incorporated. 1871-72
 member of Caesar's Wesleyan.

Supporter of Reform Party & was candidate for
 Parliament 3 times

County of Peel

Brampton 1874.

That Thomas Bowles be and is hereby appointed
 such Director and the representative in said company.
 (Railway Co Director)

County of Peel 1873.

Thomas Bowles. School Commissioner

Copy

(Following information taken from 1877 Atlas)

8478

THOMAS BOWLES

CHINGUACOUSY TWP.

b. in Chinguacousy Twp. in 1830 - d.....

s. of Charles Bowles and

of Tipperary, Ireland, and Chinguacousy Twp.

(See Charles Bowles)

w. Jane, dau. of Isaac Leslie, Albion Twp.

Children - (7)

✓ Prop. of Grain business at Mono Road from 1874

✓ Director of C.V.Ry.

Interested in Township and County Councils

✓ Reeve of Chinguacousy, for 10 years. - Warden for 2 years

✓ Supporter of Reform Party and was candidate for
Parliament three times

✓ Local Preacher of Methodist Church
and an active member

Following information copied from 1877 Atlas.

5479

CHARLES BOWLES

CHINGUACOUSY TWP.

b. in Tipperary, Ireland

came to Toronto in 1826 and in 1827 to Chinguacousy Twp.

Pioneering experiences, difficult travelling, no
roads, etc.

1875 celebrated golden wedding

50
1825 .

Correspondent and Advocate.
Thursday, January 7, 1836.

5480

LOST.

IN or near Springfield, Toronto Township, three
Notes of Hand--one against John Kinney of Trafalgar,
for £ 4 14 8, one for 7s. 5d. and another for
18s. 10d. currency, against David Kinney, same place.
I therefore forbid all persons from buying or
collecting said notes after this date.

THOMAS BOWLES,

At Wm. Trotter's, Spring-
field.

Springfield, October 1, 1835.

Thos. Bowles, Sr. Magistrate, Mono Road, 1877

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duplicate

Orangeville Bazaar Sept 6/34

5482

MRS. W. MARSHALL GREEN

Bowles

Orangeville lost a highly esteemed resident last week in the person of Mrs. W. Marshall Green, who passed away at her home on Broadway quite suddenly on Friday, August 31st, after a short illness. Mrs. Green, whose maiden name was Jennie Bowles, was a daughter of the late Sheriff and Mrs. Thomas Bowles of Orangeville. She was born at Mono Road, Peel Co., and came to Orangeville with her parents in 1881. She was married to Mr. W. Marshall Green, then one of Orangeville's young business men, on August 2, 1886, forty-eight years ago. Gifted musically Mrs. Green was active in choir and choral work and was many years a valued member of the First Avenue Methodist church. Gracious, kindly and sincere in manner she was a woman who had many warm friends, who keenly regret her removal. She was devoted to her home and church and took a very active interest in the work of the W.M.S., W.C.T.U. and other women's organizations. Since church union she had been a regular worshipper in St. Andrew's United Church. Mrs. Green's demise is keenly mourned by her husband, who has been bedfast for some years, two sons, Lester M. and John C., of Toronto, a daughter, Mrs. J. L. Gordon, of Kamloops, B.C., who arrived home in time for the funeral, two brothers, Chas. W. Bowles, Brampton, and Dr. W. H. Bowles, Orangeville, and a sister, Mrs. (Rev.) E. A. Pearson, of Toronto. To these and especially to the bereaved husband the community extends a full measure of sympathy.

The funeral, which was private, was held from the home to the Forest Lawn Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. C. F. McIntosh had charge of the service and was assisted by Rev. Robert Pogue, of First Avenue United Church, and three cousins of the departed woman, Ex-Chancellor R. P. Bowles, of Victoria University, Rev. Newton Bowles, of Bethesda Church, Dixie, and Rev. Isaac Bowles, of Hamilton. The pallbearers were the two sons, Lester and John Green, three nephews, Vaughan W. Pearson, Melvin and Roy McCartney, and a grandson, John Green. Notwithstanding the family's request that flowers be omitted, many lovely tributes were received, evidencing the sincere regard in which Mrs. Green was held. The obsequies were also marked by the presence of a large number of relatives from Toronto and other outside places.

FAMILY HISTORY

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5483

Name? CHARLES W. BOWLES

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 33, Con. 5. / 1887 \$1.

Date of Birth?

Date of Death? Living.

Place of Burial?

Parents? Thomas Bowles and Jane Lester

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 6.

From where did they come and when?

Wife's Name? Rebecca Wilson

Wife's father's name? Seth Wilson

Wife's father's place of Residence? Albion, lot 11, Con. 3.

Date of wife's Birth?

Date of Wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was Charles Bowles's Occupation? Farmer

Religion? Methodist

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

(2)

5484

Name. Charles W. Bowles. Lot and Concession. Lot. 33. Con. 5..

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name (2) date of birth (3) place of residence
(4) date of death (5) place of burial (6) to whom married.

Russell

Wilson

Victor

ALSO OWNED: Ching. East, lot 32, Con. 6 50 ac. 1895 \$1. 19 Dec.

Any further information.
Retired, living in Brampton in 1933

BOWLES.

5483

CHARLES W. BOWLES, son of Thomas Bowles, of Sandhill.
Living in Brampton. Farmed on the old homestead, lot 33,
Gen. 5. Ching. E. and raised his family there.
Married Miss Rebecca Wilson of Peel Co.
Children:

Peel 3, 11 Nov 21/35

5486

Golden Couple Fifty Years Wed

**Mrs. Charles W. Bowles
Celebrate Golden Wedding
Anniversary Monday**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wesley Bowles, highly-esteemed residents of this town, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Monday of this week.

It was just such a day fifty years ago when they were married by Rev. G. M. Brown, of the Methodist Church for Mr. Bowles recalled plodding through mud that was knee deep on the rough roads of Albion township to the home of his bride's father.

Mrs. Bowles was Beckie Wilson, daughter of the late Seth Wilson, and both she and her husband were born in Albion, and lived there until ten years ago when they came to Brampton. At a quiet celebration on Monday they had their best man with them, Marshall Green, of Orangeville. Their bridesmaid, Mr. Bowles' sister, Jennie, died some years ago.

Mr. Bowles, now in his 78th year, recommends a temperate life and abstinence from tobacco and liquor as the secret of good health and happiness. In all his life, he is proud to say, he never touched either "smokes" or liquor. As a young man he was interested in temperance education and reform, and although he is not active in temperance organizations today, he still follows their work with keen interest.

His father, the late Thos. Bowles, for many years sheriff of Dufferin county, he recalls with a smile, was a militant Liberal. "He ran for Parliament three times, and was defeated three times. I guess that's why I never took an active part in politics," Mr. Bowles explains.

He bought a farm out West, and went out to Saskatchewan with the idea of settling there, but the country and climate were so different from Peel county that he abandoned the scheme, and returned to Albion. Both he and Mrs. Bowles are members of Grace United Church, and are regular attendants. Mrs. Bowles' health is not quite as robust as that of her husband, and she was insistent that Monday's celebration be a quiet one.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowles have three sons, Russell, in Saskatchewan; Wilson, of Mono Road, and Victor, in Toledo, Ohio, and two daughters, Mrs. George Cameron, of Orangeville, and Mrs. Ernest Train, of Detroit. Mrs. Bowles is the last of her family, but Mr. Bowles has a brother, Dr. Herbert Bowles, of Orangeville, and a sister, Mrs. Annie Pearson, of Toronto. There are eleven grandchildren.

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING



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MR. AND MRS. C. W. BOWLES

Of Brampton, who celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding on Monday. They were married at the home of Mrs. Bowles' father, Seth Wilson, in Albion, by the late Rev. G. M. Brown, of Bolton Methodist Church.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING



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Brampton Couple Recall Happy Wedding Memories Of Half a Century Ago

Brampton, Nov. 9—Monday will be a day of sad memories for many of Brampton's citizens, but for two, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wesley Bowles, the day will bring back recollections of a day fifty years ago, when he plodded through mud that was knee deep on the rough roads of Albion Township, to her father's farm, and they were married by Rev. G. M. Brown of the Methodist Church.

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still follows their work with keen interest.

His father, the late Thomas Bowles, for many years sheriff of Dufferin County, he recalls with a smile, was a militant Liberal. "He ran for Parliament three times, and was defeated three times. I guess that's why I never took an active part in politics," Mr. Bowles explains.

He bought a farm out West, and went out to Saskatchewan with the idea of settling there, but the country and climate were so different from Peel County that he abandoned the scheme, and returned to Albion. Both he and Mrs. Bowles are members of Grace United Church, and are regular attendants. Mrs. Bowles' health is not quite as robust as that of her husband, and she is insistent that Monday's celebration be a quiet one.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowles have three sons, Russell, in Saskatchewan; Wilson of Mono Road, and Victor, in Toledo, Ohio; and two daughters, Mrs. George Cameron of Orangeville, and Mrs. Ernest Train of Detroit. Mrs. Bowles is the last of her family, but Mr. Bowles has a brother, Dr. Herbert Bowles, of Orangeville, and a sister, Mrs. Annie Pearson of Toronto. There are eleven grandchildren.

FAMILY HISTORY

Wife's father's name
100 av. 5488 6.

Name? Isaac Robert Bowles

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 6. 1887

Date of Birth? 1859

Date of Death? 1931

Place of Burial? Providence, Albion.

Parents? Thomas Bowles and Jane Lester

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 6.

From where did they come and when?

Wife's Name? Elizabeth Cunnington

Wife's father's name? Alexander Cunnington

Wife's father's place of Residence? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 3

Date of wife's Birth?

Date of Wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was Isaac R. Bowles' Occupation? Farmer

Religion? United (Methodist)

Politics? Liberal

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

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Name Francis R. Bookes Lot and Concession Ching E. Am 6 lot 31

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name (2) date of birth (3) place of residence

(4) date of death (5) place of burial (6) to whom married.

(1) <u>Capt. Alex. C.</u>	(2)	(3) London, Eng.	(4)
	(5)		(6)
(1) <u>Vera</u>	(2)	(3) Ching. E., lot 31, Con. 6.	(4)
	(5)		(6)

Thomas

New York.

ALSO OWNED:

Any further information.

Retired to Toronto, 1916.

ISAAC R. BOWLES, son of Thomas Bowles, Sandhill. Lived on lot 31 Con. 6. Born in 1859, he died in Toronto, in 1931. Farmed all his life until his retirement in 1916, when he came to Toronto. United Church. Liberal. Married Elizabeth Cunningham, daughter of Alex. Cunningham, a former Warden of ^{Peel?} Chinguacousy. *Widow still living*
One son, Capt. A.C. Bowles, London, Eng. Financial broker.

The funeral took place on Saturday to Providence Cemetery with Chancellor R. P. Bowles of Toronto, officiating.

ator, November 19th, 1951.

L.F.

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Obituary - I. R. Bowles.

The death occurred at his home in Toronto on Thursday of
L. R. Bowles, after an illness of about six weeks.

Mr. Bowles was a son of the late Thomas Bowles, a former
Sherriff of Dufferin County, and was born at Mono Road 72
years ago. For the past fifteen years he has been living,
retired in Toronto and until that time farmed in the Mono Road
district.

His wife is a daughter of the late Alex. Cunningham, one time
Warden of Peel County. Mr. Bowles is a member of the United Church
and a liberal in politics.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two brothers, C. W. Bowles
of Brampton and Dr. Herbert Bowles of Orangeville, two sisters,
Mrs. Marshall Greene of Orangeville and Mrs. E. A. Pearson,
widow of the late Rev. E. A. Pearson, who passed away about a
month ago.

The funeral took place on Saturday to Providence Cemetery with
Chancellor R. P. Bowles of Toronto, officiating.

Conservation Nov. 19. 1931

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OBITUARY

L. R. Bowles

The death occurred at his home in Toronto on Thursday of L. R. Bowles, after an illness of about six weeks. Mr. Bowles was a son of the late Thomas Bowles, a former sheriff of Dufferin County, and was born at Mono Road 72 years ago. For the past fifteen years he has been living retired in Toronto and until that time farmed in the Mono Road district. His wife is a daughter of the late Alex. Cunningham, one time warden of Peel County. Mr. Bowles is a member of the United Church and a liberal in politics. Besides his wife he is survived by two brothers, C. W. Bowles, of Brampton; and Dr. Herb. Bowles, of Orangeville; two sisters, Mrs. Marshall Greene, of Orangeville, and Mrs. E. A. Pearson, Toronto, widow of the late Rev. E. A. Pearson who passed away about one month ago. The funeral took place on Saturday to Providence Cemetery with Chancellor R. P. Bowles, of Toronto, officiating.

Bowles

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Bowles

The Banner and Times

Nov. 16, 1916

Military

"Lieut. A.C. Bowles son of Isaac Bowles."

"During a terrific four-day period of the Somme fighting Lieut. Alex. C. Bowles saved the lines with his machine guns during a German counter-attack and put to rout a whole Hun battalion. This gallant act won for him the Military Cross."

The Conservator.

November 30th, 1916.

Mono Road

"Alex. Bowles, son of Isaac Bowles, formerly of Mono Road, has obtained the Military Cross for exceptional valor with the machine gun. Only six gunners were left after the fight, the rest being all killed or wounded. His battery captured 600 Germans."

Conservator, Feb. 8, 1917.

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Bowles

ALEX. BOWLES - RECOMMENDED FOR V.C. 5494

Alex. Bowles, who received the military cross,
is recommended by Gen. Turner, for the Victoria Cross.

FAMILY HISTORY

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William
Herbert Bowles

Land Concession? Orangeville (Town File)

Date of Birth?

Date of Death?

Place of Burial?

Parents? Thomas Bowles and Jane Lester

Where did they live? Ching. E., con. 6, lot 31

From where did they come and when? Ching. E., Con. 5, lot 31

Wife's name?

Wife's father's name?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth?

Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was Dr. H. Bowles Occupation? Physician *Dentist*

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breeds?

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Mr. Herbert Bowles Lot & Con. Orangeville

CHILDREN (IF ANY)

Please List as follows:

(1) Name

(2) Date of Birth (3) Place of Residence

(4) Date of Death

(5) Place of Burial (6) To whom Married

ALSO OWNED:

Any further information ?

See photographic signatures

Josephine

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BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

CHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879), a young Tipperary stone mason, emigrated in 1827, settling first in York

where he worked at his trade, then in 1828 he bought 100 acres in Ching. E., Lot 31, Con. 5, where he settled with his wife Nancy Barry (1795-1886), clearing the land and building a log house.

In the meantime there was a potato famine in Ireland, so Charles brought out his parents GEORGE BOWLES (1765-1830), and Barbara Lawrence (1776-1854), and his younger brother DAVID (1805-1885).

George bought 50 acres in Albion, Lot 24, Con. 5, in 1829, but the next year he died, and his was the first burial in Providence (Woodill's) Cemetery.

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Elizabeth Bowles, in 1837 & 1850 directories as
H.H. on this lot, and Samuel on 1858 voters' list
& 1877 map, may have been sister & brother of either
Geo. or Chas. (no information available).

Charles, as also his sons, John, Thomas and George,
was a local preacher, taking an active interest in
the growth of the Methodist Church, and frequently
he expounded Scripture from country pulpits.

Charles owned also Ching. E. Lot 32, Con. 5, 1847, 50 acres.
Lot 27, Con. 5, 1849, 100 acres.

Children of CHARLES AND NANCY

I Elizabeth (1826-1852), buried in Providence Albion.

II John (1828-1912) Ching.E., Lot 27, Con. 5, 1855.

In 1858 married Mary Lester (1835-1904), daughter of
Isaac Lester of Albion. In 1898 John and his wife
celebrated their golden wedding. Both are buried in

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Providence Albion.

John was a Liberal in politics, and a zealous Methodist, a class leader, local preacher, steward and Sunday School superintendent, and trustee of Sandhill Methodist Church, 1900. He was a strong supporter of temperance. John owned also Ching. E., Lot 28, Con. 5, 1875, 100 acres.

Children of John and Mary:

1. William D. Ching. E., Lot 27, Con. 5., inherited 1912. Married ---Ward, daughter of George T. Ward, Gore of Toronto. Wm. D., owned also Ching. E. Lot 28, Con. 5, 100 acres, inherited 1912.

Wm. D. has held many municipal offices:-clerk of Ching. twp., Deputy Reeve, Reeve, Warden. J.P., 1929. He is on the executive of the Brampton curling club, and is vice^p-resident

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of the Ontario Farmers' Institute Club of Sandhill. He was one of the organizers of the Sandhill Football Club. Mrs. Bowles was treasurer of the Brampton Ladies Liberal Society, 1930, and Superintendent of the Young People's Dept. of Ching. Religious and Educational Council, 1927.

2. Charles Fletcher. Russell, Manitoba.

Married - Nixon, daughter of James Nixon, Grahamsville. Celebrated golden wedding, 1927.

Children of Chas. Fletcher:

Geo. Albert, San Francisco.

Violet and Helen, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Arthur Kilbride, Montreal.

Mrs. Harry McDonaugh, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Harold Dibble, Prince Albert.

Mrs. Fred Hartline, Silverton, Sask.

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Mrs. J. Hyde, Silvertown, Sask.

3. Rev. Isaac G., is minister of United Church,
was president of the Toronto Conference for
one year. He ~~has been~~^{was} stationed in Barrie, then
in Hamilton. He has one son, Lester.

4. Albert E., K.C., married Lillian Loughheed.

They have two children, David and Howard.

Albert E. taught school for a time in Peel,

playing on the Sandhill Football team. In

1895 president of the Sandhill Literary Club.

Then studied law, practised in Brampton. In

1905 went to Winnipeg. Member of Winnipeg school

board for 8 years, chairman for 2 years.

President of Peel Old Boys in Winnipeg.

5. J. Harvey, Toronto, Ontario.

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6. Dr. George H. Woodhill then Toronto. He married Madge Graham, daughter of Thos. Graham, Gore of Toronto. M.H.O. Gore of Toronto, 1893, 1897-8, 1900-01; M.H.O. Toronto township, 1907. Moved to Toronto 1908, where he continued practice.

Children: Graham, John.

7. Eliza, married John Raine, Ching. E., Lot 27, Con. 5.

III Thomas (1830-1913), Ching. E., Lot 31, Con. 6, 1864. Married Jane Lester (1833-1913) daughter of Isaac Lester of Albion. Both buried in Providence Albion. Thos. was a farmer and grain merchant at Mono Road. In 1881 he moved to Orangeville, when he became Sheriff of Dufferin. He was a director of the Credit Valley Railroad. He held many municipal

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offices:- overseer of highways, township councillor,
1863-7, reeve of Ching. for 10 years, warden of
Peel, school commissioner for Peel. He ran 3 times
unsuccessfully as Liberal candidate for parliament.
He was a Methodist local preacher, and a member of
Caesar's Wesleyan Church. Thos. owned also Ching.

E., Lot 52, Con. 6, 1866, 50 acres.
Lot 33, Con. 5, 1880, 90 acres.
Lot 33, Con. 5, 1883, 10 acres.
Lot 29, Con. 5, 1886, 50 acres.

Children of Thomas and Jane:

1. Isaac Robert (1859-1931), Ching. E., Lot 31,
Con. 6, 1887. He married Elizabeth Cunningham,
daughter of Alexander Cunningham, of Ching. E.
Isaac retired to Toronto 1916. He is buried
in Providence, Albion.

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Children of Isaac and Elizabeth:

Captain Alex. C. London, England. Financial
broker. Won Military Cross in Great War, and
recommended for V.C.

Vera.

Thomas. New York.

2. Charles W. Ching. E., Lot 33, Con. 5, inherited
1887. Married Rebecca Wilson, daughter of Seth
Wilson, Albion. Charles farmed first in Peel,
then in the West, but later returned again to the
East. Finally he retired to Brampton. Chas. also
owned Ching. E., Lot 32, Con. 6, 30 acres,
inherited 1895.

Children of Charles and Rebecca:

Russell.

Wilson.

Victor.

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Mrs. Geo. Cameron.

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Mrs. Ernest Train.

3. Dr. William Herbert, Orangeville.
4. Jennie (-1934), married W. Marshall Green,
Orangeville. She was ^{an} active member of Methodist,
then of United Church.
5. Mrs. (Rev.) E.A. Pearson, Toronto.
6. Bertha (1865-1917), married Thomas McCartney.
Caledon East. Buried in Providence Albion.
7. Thomas Edgar, Merchant in Winnipeg and Orangeville.

IV George (1832-1912), Ching. E., Lot 31, Con. 5, 1868.
In 1861, married Elizabeth Hunett Pinch (1844-1926), daughter
of the Rev. Richard Pinch of Mono Circuit. Both are buried
in Providence Albion. George was treasurer of Ching. township,
and a local preacher and superintendent of Caesar's church.
He retired to Brampton, 1906, where he celebrated golden
wedding, 1911. He was a temperance worker, and would not

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grow barley because it was used to make beer.

George owned also Ching. E., Lot 32, Con. 6, 100 acres, 1866.

Lot 34, Con. 6, 50 acres,

inherited 1892.

Children of George and Elizabeth:

1. John, had three children - George, Howard, and Allen, a school teacher in B.C.

2. Manley, Winnipeg. Dentist. He practised in Brampton, 1889-1903, then moved to Winnipeg. He has two sons.

3. Sherlock, Neville, Sask.

Married ----Ward. Sons, Watson, Newton.

4. Charles (1863-82). Buried in Providence Albion.

5. Rev. Richard P., M.A., D.D., LL.D. (1864 -)

Toronto, later retired to Nestleton. Married Annie

V. Devitt, daughter of James Devitt. Children,

Wilfred George, Toronto, also two daughters.

Rev. Richard was pastor of Grace Church Winnipeg.

and of Sherbourne Street Methodist, then of

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Metropolitan, Toronto. Professor of Homelitics at
Victoria College, 1905-1913, Chancellor 1913-30.

6. Eliza (1870-99), married Rev. George Agar. Buried
in Providence Albion.

7. Unett, married J.K. Smith, Edmonton, Alta.

8. Rev. Newton E. (1877-), Dixie.

Married Muriel Wood (1880-), daughter of George

Wood. Rev. Newton taught school as a young man

in "Kennedy School House" near Sandhill. He was one

of the organizers of the Sandhill Football Club. He

was pastor of Laurel Church, Dufferin County,

church at St. David's; 1906-26, missionary at Chagtu,

China. Now pastor of Bethesda Dixie. His hobby is

raising chickens.

Children of Rev. Richard and Annie:

Muriel M. 1914-

Newton R. 1916-

Elizabeth J. 1921-

Gertrude O. 1923-

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DAVID BOWLES (1805-85), younger son of the original George.

He married Margaret McGee (1800-94)

Both husband and wife are buried in Providence Albion.

Children of David and Margaret:

1. Thomas (1844-1937), Ching. E., Lot 32, Con. 5, 1871.

later of Mono Road. He married Margaret Lindsay

(1852-1926), daughter of James Lindsay of Albion.

Thomas was a grain buyer and shipper, a Methodist,

and the only Conservative in the Bowles family. He

was a member of Mount Zion Methodist Church, and

helped build Caesar's Church. He was deputy constable.

A keen sportsman, he was champion ground-hog killer of neighbourhood.

Children of Thomas and Margaret:

1. David Alfred (1877-97). Buried in Providence Albion.

2. Annie, married W.J. Russell, New Toronto.

3. Mrs. James Shaw, Mono Road.

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4. Mrs. James Elliott, Mono Road.

5. James Charles, 1873. Died as infant.

6. James Albert, 1874. Died as infant.

7. Another daughter.

II. George, fought in American Civil War, and afterwards became Sheriff in Maryland.

He married Elizabeth Smith. They had a son George Washington.

III. Charles, Orangeville. He married Martha Lindsay.

Was deputy sheriff of Dufferin, and for 35 years Governor of Orangeville jail.

Children of Charles and Martha:

1. George W., Toronto.

2. Ottie, married Arthur Trimble, Toronto.

IV. David, (1847-69). Buried in Providence Albion.

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1827, Palmyester Warden 1830, Assessor 1831 Pound keeper 1832

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BOWLES.

Mr Campbell

lot 32 con 5. 21 May 1839. David Bowles. 50 ac. \$75

David Bowles, a younger and only brother of Charles Bowles the Original Bowles Seller. David came out several years after Charles. He married "Aunt Margaret" known as such to Thomas only Harry M. G. A large family. George B. Bowles wished himself in the U.S. Civil War. afterwards a Sheriff in Maryland.

lot 32. con. 5. 23 May 1871 Thomas Bowles, 50 ac. \$1400.

Thomas Bowles, Son of David. yet surviving. He resides in Minto Road. Known as Champion Woodchuck hunter. Every one knows Tom. now I think for past 80

lot 33 con. 5. 13 May 1880 Thomas Bowles. 90 ac. \$2050

Thomas Bowles, was Sheriff of Tupper. Son of Charles Bowles. and the first known of his third sons. Ruler of Chingouacousy for fifteen consecutive years. Warden of P.E.I. in politics but never elected. Farmer, Grain Merchant also Local Preacher and Temperance Advocate. Used to meet King Dicks on platform

lot 33 con 5. 21 Sept. 1883 Thomas Bowles. 10 ac. \$775.

This was a stray ten acres, the owner having left the Country and no trace of his whereabouts. This deed is I think a quit-claim deed from one Sparrow who farmed and paid taxes many years. I rather think the ten acres were squatter's rights. This is Sheriff Bowles

lot 33 con 5. 1 Jan. 1887. Chas. W. Bowles. 100 ac. \$1.

This is the eldest son of Sheriff, He is now residing in Brampton. His father deeded this farm where Charles Wesley Bowles raised his family having married Rebecca Wilson of P.E.I. Still living in Brampton

lot 31 con 6. 1 Jan. 1887. Isaac Robert Bowles. W. 1/2 100 ac. \$3000.

This is the homestead of Sheriff Bowles then deeded to his second son Isaac Robert Bowles. Isaac married Elizabeth Crampton, of Chingouacousy, prominent in municipal politics. Isaac died a short time ago in Toronto, to which place he had been removed. Wife still living. One son Alex, known as Capt A.C. Bowles, known in London Eng. as a financial broker

lot 31 con 6. 17 Dec. 1866. Thomas Bowles. 50 ac. \$2000.

Just after the Crimean war Thomas & George Bowles moved
in this land. No house or building on it yet

1866.

lot 31 con. 6. 26 Nov. 1866 Then George Bowles. 100 ac. \$4000.

Same as above.

lot 31² con. 6. 19 Dec. 1895. Charles W. Bowles. 30 ac. \$1.

Part of the above - no significance

lot 31 34, con. 6. 25 Oct. 1892. George Bowles. N.E. 1/4. 50 ac. \$1.

No significance - no house on this

1849

lot 27 con 5. 10 Jan. 1849. Charles Bowles. E. 1/2, \$337.10.0

This is the homestead of John Bowles, eldest son of Charles
the first pioneer and as seen before because it is property
of Wm D Bowles his son - now living in Bradenton and I am
Clerk of Chippewassee. He married a Miss Ward of Chippewassee.

lot 27 con 5. 10 July 1912. Wm. D. Bowles. E. 1/2 100 ac. \$1.00

This homestead is now the property of John Rame who
married Edger Bowles, living here now

lot 27 con 5. 19 Feb. 1855. John Bowles. E. $\frac{1}{2}$, £100

lot 28 con 5. 8 Mar. 1875. John Bowles. E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 100 ac. \$5500.

I well remember when Uncle John purchased this. Barley was a $\frac{1}{2}$ a bushel - He sold next year 500 bushels at this price of 10 acres. My father George Bowles would not grow barley because it was used to make beer, but Uncle John had no such scruple

lot 28 con 5. 10 July 1912. Wm. D. Bowles. 100 ac. \$1.00

lot 29. con. 5. 10 Sept. 1886. Thomas Bowles. 50 ac. \$5300

no significance.

lot 31 con 5. 6 Feb. 1828. Charles Bowles. 100 ac. £31.10.0

This is the original Bowles purchase by my grand father. He was a stone mason - built chimneys in Muddy York for two years - then bought this new house seen it - put his all on an old field & set out for his Canada - Thought there was a house on it. found none. Had to build a house - A few years later a good log house which I remember -

lot 31 con 5. 30 Nov. 1868. George Bowles. 100 ac. \$400.

This indicates my father coming into possession of the old homestead - where he resided until a few years before his death. Here I grew up. Such sentiments cling to the old place & heathen to visit it. And my brothers feel the same affection toward this place and my sister Mrs J.K. Smith of Edmonton

lot 32 con 5. 11 Jan. 1847. Charles Bowles. 50 ac. £200

My brother John and Sherlock are farming in the West - Mary is married "Orthodox" in Winnipeg. Newton is preaching at Owen having spent 20 years in China as a Missionary. This shows how the original settlers added to his possessions

Mr. Perkins Bull
Meredith Crescent
Toronto - Canada

Chas Bowles
family
+ David

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Randolph 90.20
Cables: "Bulwer" Toronto

19 November, 1931.

Mona Road

Rev. Dr. R. P. Bowles,
Nestleton, Ontario.

Dear Dr. Bowles:

Re County of Peel History:

In a Directory of Peel, published in 1874,
I find the following references to the name "Bowles":

Page 29 -

Chinguacousy 5th Concession East, Lot 4 -
William Bowles.

This Bowles unknown to me

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Resident of Caledon East - Charles Bowles,
Blacksmith. - *not Caledon East but Mono Road*

*Son of David Bowles below - after some delay
Sheriff of Suffolk - lived in Orangeville some years
ago. Had a son on the reporter staff of the Telegram*

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Residents of Chinguacousy, East of Hurontario
Street -

Bowles, Charles - Concession 5, Lot 32.

*My Grandfather
Came to Canada 1876 - built Chumney - made York for a
year or two. Then came to 51 31 & 32 - & the old homestead
where father was born - a small house raised. Father died in Arranville*

Bowles, David - Concession 6, Lot 13.

*Younger Brother of Charles Bowles - came out about
1849 - from Irish families. Also at that time came out
my father, father & mother - bought out with money sent back
to the old country*

My father - has since either entered professions, (law or ministry via a brother) or went west to farm, & father sold old Homestead & moved to Brampton.

C. Father Booth - Eldest son Charles Bowles - lived
+ died on this farm. I was on son Fletcher out west -
Dr George H. Bowles, Davenport, Ill. Rev J. G. Bowles -
Albert Lawry - wife, Harry - Thomas - & others

Bowles, Thomas - Concessions, Lot 31.
 Sheriff of Dufferin. May have Warden of Park
 to 15 times I think a successor Rear of Thompson
 Contested for Capital like two or three times -

David This is a *Sam David*. Lives alone in a *chick*
house in *more* Road - Over 80. Reported to *press* *last*
year as *Chambers* *Grand* *Hg* *Killer*

Kindly give some helpful information to the enclosed questions also. You can put the remarks on the same piece of paper as you will observe plenty of space left for answers.

Sincerely yours,

Younger's Bull

Carles

Rev. H. E. Burke

(abon)

PIONEER QUESTIONS.

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1. Where did your family come from?

Gipparary - Ireland

2. When did they come?

1827

3. How did they come?

Sailing Ship

4. Where did they first settle?

"Muddy York" for about 3 years
My grandfather was a stone mason. Had a disagreement with
the freeman and gave up his job. Then decided to take up land

5. Why did they settle there (in particular)?

Why he came to Peel I do not know. Got the farm from
the man who got it from the crown - only a few - I think
3 or 4 acres cleared when he got it

6. Where else did they live in the county?

Rev. N. C. Bowles

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19. Any plagues or storms of any kind which destroyed the crops?

20. Do you recall any humorous incidents connected with the early days or any stories of hair-breadth escapes or exciting contests?

The only humorous incident passed down to me is that my great grandfather - who followed my grandfather to Canada - chased a bear out of the wheat field several times in morning and then announced to grandfather that he could not keep that 'dog' out of the wheat.

21. Any stories of personal rivalry or co-operation in early romances?

22. Where did they get their supplies?

23. Did they have to get them from York?

I think so.

24. What methods of transportation were used?

I heard tales of them walking to York. This I think they had to carry supplies on shoulders for only part of the way.

(Bowles)

Rev. L. G. Bowles, Bowles

PIONEER QUESTIONS.

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1. Where did your family come from?

all grandparents came
from Ireland

2. When did they come?

Do not know On mother's side County Down Ireland
In 1827 On Father's side
County Tipperary Ireland

3. How did they come?

Sailing vessels

4. Where did they first settle?

Father's Parents first in Dorset
then Muddy York
Mother's Parents in what is now
County of Albion - near Sullivan

5. Why did they settle there (in particular)?

6. Where else did they live in the county?

after a year Father's Parents moved
to Chingraeney Sp. - near Muddy Road

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7. What was the first work that the pioneers undertook after they had found their land?

I suppose clearing land

8. Did they build their houses first, or clear the soil, or arrange some sort of shelter for their livestock

9. What methods did they use in clearing the land? and what were their first crops?

10. Did they do much hunting and fishing, or was most of their livelihood taken from the land?

not much

11. What sort of farm tools did they have, and to what extent did they make these themselves?

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12. What sort of dishes, furniture, and clothing were used?

13. What were their houses like? How large? How furnished?

14. Do you recall any catastrophes which put back the early settlers?

15. Any fires?

15. Floods?

16. Lightning?

17. serious accidents?

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19. Any plagues or storms of any kind which destroyed the crops?

20. Do you recall any humorous incidents connected with the early days or any stories of hair-breadth escapes or exciting contests?

21. Any stories of personal rivalry or co-operation in early romances?

22. Where did they get their supplies?

23. Did they have to get them from York?

24. What methods of transportation were used?

Chiefly horseback

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25. Were tea, coffee, sugar, among the supplies?

26. What sort of fruit did they have?

wild fruit

27. Did they have much or did they depend largely upon wild fruit?

28. Did they start orchards right away?

29. How and where did they get their first cow?

30. Do. their horses?

Bowles

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BOWLES

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Bowles

Scattered far and wide are the members of many families in the Township of Chinguacousy, whose ancestors were among the pioneers of Peel County. Combating the hardships of early settlement but enjoying the simple life attendant on the clearing of forest lands, these pioneers encountered experiences and left behind traditions that forged the staunch principles established in the community life of the different sections. With much pride their descendants point to the noble spirit and sentiments that governed their lives, ever displaying a simple trust in Providence and exercising a sympathetic relationship with their fellowmen. The milk of human kindness flowed freely in those days when large families had to subsist on the fruits of hard labour and depended on one another for succour in times of emergency.

Among the many families, who have contributed their share in the early development of the communities of Mono Road and Sand Hill was the Bowles family. The accompanying chart or tree shows the male members of the family, many of whom first saw the light of day in the neighbourhood of the old homestead on the east half of lots 31 and 32, concession five, Chinguacousy Township.

George and Barbara (Lawrence) Bowles came to

Canada from Tipperary, Ireland, about 1835, following the arrival of their two sons, Charles and David, who landed in this country about 1827. After residing in Toronto for a short time they settled on the above mentioned lands. The homestead was located on lot 31 and until a few years ago remained in the possession of a member of the family when it was transferred to James Ward, a brother-in-law of Sherlock Bowles, later it was sold to Thomas Johnston.

The male descendants of George and Barbara Bowles, perpetuating the name, have become widely scattered, some residing in England, the United States and others in Western Canada. Several never reached manhood and those that did entered into various occupations such as farmers, lawyers, doctors, ministers, business careers, newspaper representatives and even some occupied government positions.

Of the two sons of George and Barbara Bowles the greater issue sprang from the older son, Charles. Many of his descendants are still living. Of David's issue nothing is known practically of the children of his oldest son, George, who as a young man left Chinguacousy and lived and died in the United States, where a son, George Washington Bowles, is said to be living and also his children. Of the other male members of this branch of the tree the only two alive at the time of writing are Thomas, 89 years of age, and

George Wilfred, son of David's third son, Charles.
Neither have male issue living.

With respect to the two sons of the original ancestor of the family, Charles married Nancy Barry and David married the widow of John Judge, who before her first marriage was Margaret McGee, an aunt of Col. Harry McGee, vice president of the T. Eaton Company.

As to the issue of Charles and Nancy Bowles, their three sons were John, the eldest who farmed on the east half of lots 27 and 28, concession 5, Chinguaconsy; Thomas the second son, who also farmed on the west half of lot 31, concession 6, opposite the homestead and George, the youngest son, who occupied the old homestead nearly all his life. On attaining manhood, these three sons became fairly prominent members of the community. Each took a keen interest in the early development of the Methodist church seventy or more years ago. All three were recognized as local preachers or exhorters in that denomination and were often called upon to preach the divine word from different country pulpits. John and Thomas Bowles married sisters, Mary and Jane Lester, daughters of Isaac Lester, one of the well known pioneers of the district. On two different occasions Thomas contested a seat for the Ontario Legislature in the Liberal interests but was defeated in both elections. Later he was appointed Sheriff of the County of Dufferin when

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formed about 1879 by Premier Oliver Mowat. He resided for the rest of his life in Orangeville.

George Bowles the youngest son of Charles and Nancy Bowles, married Elizabeth Pinch, daughter of Rev. Richard Pinch, an ordained minister of the Methodist church after his arrival in Canada from the Island of Malta, where he was connected with the British Navy. George Bowles was for many years treasurer of Chinguacousy township and on retiring from farming lived the balance of his life in Brampton.

Of John Bowles family, Charles, the oldest son, settled on a farm in Michigan, where his family was born and raised and later retired to Russell, Manitoba. George, the second son, entered the medical profession and practised first at Woodhill and later at 476 Dovercourt Road, Toronto. The third son, Isaac G. became a minister of the Methodist Church, later United Church, having occupied several country and city charges including Toronto and Hamilton and was one year president of the Toronto Conference. Albert, the fourth son, graduated in law from Osgoode Hall and after practising for some time in Brampton moved to Winnipeg, where he served 14 years on the School Board, two years of which he was chairman. He obtained his K. C. in the western city. William, the fifth son, farmed the homestead of his father located a concession west of Sandhill, and was at one time

Warden of the county. He later retired to Brampton as clerk of the Township. Harvey, the youngest son entered a business career, residing in Toronto and Winnipeg. All these six sons and one sister, Mrs. Raine, whose husband now farms the John Bowles homestead, were living at the time of writing.

Respecting the family of Thomas Bowles, Sheriff of Dufferin County, his oldest son, Charles Wesley, farmed the east half of lot 33, concession 5, and the second son, Isaac, also took up farming on his father's homestead until he moved to Toronto and carried on some home building for a time. Thomas Edgar, the third son, entered the mercantile business, having been a partner in stores in Winnipeg and Orangeville, while the fourth son William Herbert became a dentist, practising in Orangeville.

The oldest son of George Bowles, Treasurer of Chinguacousy Township and occupant of the original homestead, was Charles, who died as a young man and his second son, Rev. Richard Pinch Bowles, who entered the ministry, was possibly the most outstanding member bearing the family name. Before retirement to his farm near Port Perry, he was Chancellor of Victoria College, Toronto and prior to assuming this important position, had been pastor of such large churches as the Metropolitan and Sherbourne Street churches in Toronto, St. James Methodist Church in Montreal and Grace Church

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in Winnipeg. John and Sherlock, third and fourth sons were farmers in Manitoba, while Manley, the fifth son became a dentist practising in Winnipeg. Rev. Newton E. spent 20 years as a missionary in China, assuming pastorates of the United Church at St. David's and near Cooksville on his return to Canada. The youngest son, Harry, died early in life.

Reference has already been made to David Bowles' oldest son, George, who migrated to the U. S. A. where he married Elizabeth Smith, who as a widow with a son and daughter, remarried. Thomas, second son of David, was married to Margaret Lindsay, daughter of James Lindsay, another of Chinguacousy's early settlers. Three sons and four daughters were born to them, but the two oldest children, died as babies and Alfred at the age of 19 years. At the time of writing Thomas was the only member of his generation living. He and his wife resided the greater part of their life on his father's homestead on part of the east half of lot 32, con. 5, later retiring to Mono Road. Charles, the third son of David Bowles after conducting a blacksmithing business at Mono Road became turnkey and later governor of Orangeville Jail. His wife was Martha Lindsay, a daughter of Andrew Lindsay who settled on the third line of Chinguacousy on arriving in Canada from Ireland in 1832. George Wilfred son of Charles, entered newspaper reporting, being

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connected with the Evening Telegram of Toronto. The fourth son of David, whose name was also David, died when a young man.

Of the younger generation of the whole tree, who have reached manhood Dr. George H. Bowles' two sons Graham and John followed business careers; Rev. I. G. Bowles' son Lester graduated from university and has done some newspaper reporting, while Russell, Wilson and Victor Bowles, sons of Charles Wesley Bowles branched out into various occupations. They are grandsens of Sheriff Bowles as are also Thomas and Alexander, sons of Isaac, who adopted business careers in New York and England respectively. Wilfred George, son of Chancellor Bowles graduated as a lawyer, but later took up a business career in Toronto. George, Allen and Howard, sons of John; Watson and Newton, sons of Sherlock, and Dr. Manley Bowles two sons reside in Western Canada.

Clark, John

13. of Hugh Clark and Jean Y. Johnston
Glasgow Scotland and Con 4 Lot 16
10. John Currie, d. of Capt. Currie of
Horton Co.

Children:- Lewis

Herbert H.

James

Arthur

William

Frederick

Pickering

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Con 3 Lot 19 Camp W.

(Mrs Hamilton Sykes) long used.

Pickering Con 4 Lot 23 W. Camp.

(Increased)

of British Columbia

He was a well known farmer specializing in
good horses -

FAMILY HISTORY

Name? THOMAS BOWLES

Lot and Concession? Lot 32, Con. 5, Ching. East 1871

Date of Birth? 1844

Date of Death? Living

Place of Burial?

Parents? David Bowles and Margaret *see sheet*

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 32, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when? Co. Tipperary, Ireland. 1826

Wife's Name? Margaret Lindsay (Married in 1871)

Wife's Father's Name? James Lindsay

Wife's Father's place of Residence? Albion, lot 24, Con. 1.

Date of wife's Birth? 1852

Date of wife's Death? 1926

Place of Wife's Burial? Providence, Albion.

What was Thomas Bowles's Occupation? Farmer and Grain Buyer and

Religion? Methodist

Politics? Conservative

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

Deputy Constable

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure bred stock? If so, what breed?

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*Methodist 1876
Crawford's app. 14
Church Record Book
m. 300*

Name Thomas Bowles

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CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

(1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence

(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom married.

(1) David Albert (2) 1877 (3) Ching. East, lot 32, Con. 5. (4) 1897
(5) Providence, Albion (6) Unmarried

(1) (2) (3) 165 Sixth Ave., New Toronto (4)
(5) (6) W.J. Russell

(1) (2) (3) Mono Road (4)
(5) (6) James Shaw

(1) (2) (3) Mono Road (4)
(5) (6) James Elliott

Also two sons died in infancy.

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information: Hauled the stone in 1874 to build the store on the S.E. corner of lot 32, Mono Road. Helped build Caesar's Methodist Church. Keen sportsman and crack shot at the age of 85. Retired to live in Mono Road in 1922. *with daughter Mrs Elliott*

The Christian Guardian" Vol. LXII, No. 23, June 7, 1871. ^A

MARRIAGE - *GA*

On the 31st May, by the Rev. E. Barras, at the 5533
residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Thos. Bowles, of
Chinguacousy, to Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. James
Lindsay, Albion. ✓

Around Mono Road they say that German sharpshooters have nothing on Thomas Bowles when he goes groundhog hunting with his old German rifle. Although well over the proverbial three score years and ten, Thomas Bowles at 85 is the champion ground hog slayer of the locality. His friends say that he would just as soon dig postholes as dig potatoes and he is equally proficient at both. His years weigh lightly on this tall, upright, wiry man of fourscore years and five.

For seventy-eight years Mr. Bowles lived on the farm on which he was born, but eight years ago came to this village to reside with his daughter, Mrs. James Elliott.

His record in 1928 was 300 ground hogs for the season but this year Mr. Bowles hopes to even better that record.

Recently the home of his daughter was destroyed by fire, and this active octogenarian who simply can't remain inactive, finds activity in digging postholes for a new fence around the lot.

Mr. Bowles son-in-law is the owner of a fox ranch and the fruits of the chase go to feed the baby foxes.

He is the acknowledged nimrod of the district and many a farmer in the district is grateful to Mr. Bowles for the havoc he causes among the "pests" of the district.

When there are no more ground hogs around Mono Road, Mr. Bowles goes over to Caledon and helps rid that district

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Thomas Bowles - Continued

of the little furry creatures.

Sixty-eight years ago Mr. Bowles helped build Caesar's Methodist, now United Church, and is one of a line of Bowles who have attended the church for three generations.

The first "Tory" in a long line of Bowles, he was delighted when the Bennett Administration was swept into power.

Aged Farmer of Mono Road Finds Time For "Kidding"

Life Just Another Bag of Potatoes to Thomas Bowles, 90, Who Finds No Time For Idleness—Hauled Timber For Present Home

Mono Road, May 14 (Staff Special) —Life is just another bag of potatoes to Thomas Bowles, who, in his 90th year, finds no time to be idle, and who has as merry a quip for the visitor as has his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Shaw, with whom he is living. On Saturday Mr. Bowles was busily cutting up seed potatoes and at the same time "kidding" his grandson, Donny Shaw, about the school teacher, on whom the nonagenarian insists that Donny "has a crush."

"I hauled the timbers for this house," he said, pointing to the Shaw home, "and I was born right where that milk house stands." He farmed in the district all his life, but found time for other duties, for he tells that he has taken 40 men to Brampton jail. "I went there once and found both the turnkey and the warden drunk, and I had to go to Sheriff Broddy to get a receipt for my prisoner."

MADE TRIP 7 TIMES

He recalls that one of his customers, Sam Noseworthy, a "clock cleaner," made the trip seven times. "He must have liked driving with me," Mr. Bowles placidly remarked. "You know, one of my brothers was in jail for 35 years." After polite expressions of regret from the visitors, Mr. Bowles usually explains that the brother, Charles, was governor of Orangeville jail. One day he forgot to make the explanation after he had told a new minister about his brother, and the minister got himself laughed at by repeating Mr. Bowles' remark to neighbors.

"I caught a deer just out there," Mr. Bowles pointed, "and petted it. I kept that deer for 50 years." Mrs. Shaw clarified the statement by saying that Mr. Bowles meant his wife, formerly Margaret Lindsay. "But I have seen four-legged deer hereabouts," the old man amended.

Questioned about politics, the old man chuckled. He is a "hard-shell" Liberal, but he has the family guessing, for he tells them that he is going to cancel his son-in-law's vote. The first vote cast in this country by a Bowles, when the family came from Ireland, he says, went for J. C. Aikens. "But they spoiled Aikens," he said, "by putting him into the Senate." Mr. Bowles remembers attending, as a young man, a meeting at Kilmanagh, a forgotten hamlet near Caledon East, where George Blain, an eloquent speaker,



THOMAS BOWLES.

advocated the separation of Peel from York, and the installation of county headquarters at Malton.

"I was quite a size then, and when I left school I could lick the master," Mr. Bowles smiles.

SMART HORSESHOE PITCHER

Ninety years to the contrary, Mr. Bowles is a smart horseshoe pitcher, and can trim younger men of the district. He is a deadly shot with a shotgun, and is thinking of taking out an old German rifle that he has had rebores for a crack at the farm pests. Radios, however, have no thrill for him. "I'd give five dollars," he wails, "to have the thing taken out of the house."

Mr. Bowles is the last of his family. He has three daughters, Mrs. Annie Russell, New Toronto, and Mrs. J. G. Shaw and Mrs. James Elliott, both of Mono Road. Last winter he was laid up in a Toronto hospital for more than a month, and he was glad to get back to the farm.

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MONO ROAD VETERAN MARKS 90th BIRTHDAY.

(Original clipping taken from the Peel Gazette of Sept. 27/34, is in Pioneer file).

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One of his pastimes is shooting and he accounted for a great many ground hogs on the farm during the summer months.

Conservator Sept. 27/34. *File*

A Nonagenarian

THOMAS BOWLES - Well-known Mono Road citizen joined the ranks of Peel's nonagenarians when he celebrated his ninetieth birthday last Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Shaw. In spite of his advanced age, Mr. Bowles is still active about his daughter's farm. He was sheriff officer in the Mono Road district for many years. One of his pastimes is shooting and he accounted for a great many ground hogs during the summer months.

*married Margaret Lindsay of Albion.
May 31st, 1871. (Taken from marriage certificate)*

Place of wife's burial?

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What offices did he hold
Province, School and Church

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Did he raise any pure-bred st

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His interest in them first began when his son-in-law had a fox farm at Mono Road. Thomas provided most of the meat for the foxes' dinners, by means of a reboiled German rifle. Now, he finds that the gun packs a little too much punch in its butt, and he doesn't attempt to garner so many ground-hogs in a day, but he still wages a sort of catch-as-catch-can warfare upon them.

Living with his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Shaw, he was born on the farm, and hauled timbers for the house. A farmer all his life, he varied agricultural routine by acting as deputy sheriff under Sheriff Broddy, and during his lifetime took some 40 men from the district to the county jail at Brampton. His brother, Charles, was governor of the Dufferin jail at Orangeville for 35 years.

On the matter of politics, too, the old man has his family guessing. He is a "hardshell" Liberal, but he tells his family that he will cancel his son-in-law's vote at the next election. The first vote cast by a Bowles in Peel County, he claims, went for J. C. Aikens. "But they spoiled Aikens," he says. "They put him in the Senate." Radios, on the other hand, hold no charm for him, and he wishes there weren't any.

Obituary

Mrs. Thos. Bowles

A highly respected resident of the Township of Chinguacousy, Mrs. Thomas Bowles, passed away at her home Mono Road Tuesday, about 2 o'clock. She was born in Albion Township, two lots north of Caledon East, and had been a life long resident of this section. For about 50 years she and her husband resided on their farm on the 5th line of Chinguacousy, near Mono Road, until they moved into the village a few years ago. Prior to her marriage, 54 years ago last May, she was Margaret Lindsay, daughter of the late James Lindsay. She was a woman of exemplary Christian character, and is survived by her husband and three daughters, Mrs. W.J. Russell, of 165 Sixth Street, New Toronto; Mrs. James Shaw, both of Mono Road.

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Peel

Two Aged Mono Road Men Differ in Thrills of Life

Chief Interest of Thos. Bowles, 91, is Shooting
Ground Hogs While Dr. Jas. Alexander
Favors Birthdays and Orange Parade

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Mono Road, April 30—Dr. James Graham Alexander, of Mono Road, looks forward each year to two events. One is his birthday, which is rapidly approaching, and the other is the celebration of the 12th of July. He will be 81 years old next month, but he still reads without glasses, and is too busy to be old.

For more than forty years he has had a wide veterinary practice in Peel, and he still retains a commission as lieutenant in the Governor-General's Bodyguard. He received the commission 21 years ago. Although he was at that time 60 years of age, he presented himself for service in the Great War, and was for some time attached to the Militia Transport at Fort Niagara, and was later stationed at Valcartier, for duty as an inspector.

Descended from two well-known families of United Empire Loyalists, he was born on the Fifth Line of Chinguacousy. His father emigrated from Newton Stewart, Ireland, more than a century ago, while his mother came from the Graham family of Derry West, whose occupancy of land in Toronto township dates back to 1820.

Although Dr. Alexander prefers a horse and buggy for making his rounds, he does not scorn to use a motor car when a rush call comes along, and believes that there is room and a use for each means of locomotion.

Mrs. Alexander is a sister of Inspector Gurnett of the Ontario Provincial Police, and is well known in Peel as a photographer, a hobby in which her husband has no little interest. A son, Lindsay, is professor of forestry in the University of Washington, and another son, William, is in business in Regina.

Bowles & Alexander

May 14/15

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**MONO ROAD
CAN RECALL OCCASION
OF YORK-PEEL SCRAP**

Speech Delivered in Village
Which Has Since "Died"

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Mono Road, May 14.—Near his 90th birthday, Thomas Bomba remembers when the land about his present farm, to which he moved as a boy, were covered with bush. He also recalls the time when George Blain advocated the separation of Peel from York in a speech at the village of Kilmanagh, which has since disappeared. He was once a deputy constable and responsible for escorting 40 men to the Brampton lock-up. He admits his brother spent 35 years in jail, but hastily adds that the term was served as governor of the jail at Orangeville. Another brother was sheriff of Dufferin.

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Politics -
Peel - York separation

Recd Engrd Sept 27/34

**MONO ROAD VETERAN
MARKS 90th BIRTHDAY**

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many years. One of his pastimes is shooting and he accounted for a great many ground hogs on the farm during the summer months.

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for family history

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Nash Durham Co. Eng m Eliza Nixon

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copy by Mrs. D. P.

FAMILY HISTORY

5545

Name? John Bowles

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, Lot 27, Con. 5. 1855

Date of Birth? 1828 *in book* Date of Death? 1912

Place of Burial? Providence Cemetery, Albion

Parents? Charles Bowles and Ann Nancy Barry

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when? Ireland, Co. Tipperary, 1826

Wife's Name? Mary Lester (Married 1858)

Wife's father's name? Isaac Lester

Wife's father's place of Residence? Albion, Con. 1, Lot 6.

Date of wife's Birth? 1835 Date of Wife's Death? 1904

Place of wife's Burial? Providence, Albion

What was John Bowles's....Occupation? Farmer

Religion? Methodist

Politics? Liberal

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

Class-leader, Steward and Sunday-school superintendent.
Local preacher.
Trustee Sandhill Methodist Church. 1900

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

Name John Bowles..... Lot and Concession Lot 27, Con. 5...

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name	(2) date of birth	(3) place of residence	(4) date of death	(5) place of burial	(6) to whom married.
(1) Wm. D	(2)	(3) Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5.	(4)	(5)	(6) Ward.
(1) Charles F. (Fletcher)	(2)	(3) Russell, Manitoba	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) Rev. Isaac G.	(2)	(3) Barrie, Ont. (1912)	(4)	(5)	(6) Hamilton, Ont. (1933) <i>one yk. Pres. Toronto Conference</i>
(1) Albert E., K.C.	(2)	(3) Winnipeg, Man.	(4)	(5)	(6) Lillian Loughheed
(1) Harvey	(2)	(3) Toronto, Ont.	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) Fletcher	(2)	(3) <i>Western Canada</i>	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) Dr. George H.	(2)	(3) Toronto, Ont.	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1) Eliza	(2)	(3) Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5.	(4)	(5)	(6) <i>Raine</i> <i>\$ much</i>

ALSO OWNED: Ching. East, lot 28, Con. 5 $E\frac{1}{2}$ 100 ac. / 1875 \$ 5500.

Any further information.

Celebrated 40th Wedding Anniversary in 1898.
Strong Temperance man.

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Bolton Enterprise, 24 April 1936.

Taken from Enterprise of 20 yrs ago.

John Bowles, well-known farmer,
occupied the pulpit of Caledon East
Methodist Church in the absence of
his son.

"June 4: This
had charge of the
the force was re-
expected, but n
being 5 hours
on duty till
"June 7: On
St. Catharine
two wounded
attended the

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June 29, 1898. Whole No. 3582.

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY - MR. AND MRS. JOHN BOWLES

A very pleasant gathering of about fifty friends and neighbors met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Bowles, Sandhill, on the evening of June 22nd, to join with them in celebrating the fortieth anniversary of their wedding. A very pleasant feature of the wedding was a presentation to them from their family. Rev. I. G. Bowles read an address and two beautiful chairs were presented by Dr. G. H. Bowles and Mrs. John Raine. Mr. and Mrs. Bowles were completely taken by surprise and were deeply touched at this expression from their family. Mr. Bowles made a feeling reply.

Brother Bowles has been at different times class leader, steward, Sunday-school superintendent, and for many years has been an honored local preacher, and has a very worthy partner and helper in his wife. We join in wishing them yet many years to their family and the church.

THE LATE MR. JOHN BOWLES.

On June 16th, Mr. John Bowles, a prominent Methodist and pioneer, of Sandhill, Ont., passed quietly away at the advanced age of nearly 84 years. His parents came from Tipperary in 1827, settling at first in Toronto, but a few months after his birth moving to Sandhill, where the rest of his life was spent. Mr. Bowles was a life-long Methodist, serving the church for years as class leader, steward, Sunday School superintendent, and local preacher, in the latter capacity doing a great deal of travelling and work along with his younger brothers, Sheriff Bowles, of Orangeville, and Mr. George Bowles (father of Professor R.P. Bowles, of Victoria College), who died about two months ago. He was a man of strong principles and deep convictions, quieted a student of the Bible, and a pronounced temperance man, who consistently supported all things tending to the welfare of the community. His wife died over eight years ago. His sons and one daughter are left: Charles, in Manitoba; George, a physician, in Toronto; Mrs. John Raine, in Tullamore, Peel County; Rev. Isaac G., Methodist pastor in Barrie; William, on the old homestead; Albert, a lawyer in Winnipeg. The service was held in the Methodist Church, where Rev. Phillip Jones officiated, and Rev. George M. Brown conducted the service at the graveside.

Bolton Enterprise Oct 12/34

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In Days Year

Localities from Enterprise 73 years ago

Mary Bowles, wife of John Bowles,
of Sand Hill, died on Tuesday of
this week.

Bowles
file

FAMILY HISTORY

5551

Name? WILLIAM D. BOWLES

Lot and Concession? Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5, 1912.

Date of Birth?

Date of Death?

Place of Burial?

Parents? John Bowles and Mary Lester

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5.

From where did they come and when?

Wife's Name? Ward

Wife's father's name? George T. Ward,

Wife's father's place of Residence? Lot 7, Con. 7, Tor. Gore

N.D.

Date of wife's Birth?

Date of Wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was William Bowles's Occupation? Farmer

Religion?

Politics? Liberal

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County

Province, School and Church?

Vice-pres. Ont. Farmers' Institute Club of Sandhill.

Clerk Ching. Twp.

Deputy Reeve of Chinguacousy. -1916

Reeve of Chinguacousy. 1917-20

Warden of Peel. 1920

Executive of Brampton Curling Club 1931

J.P. 1929

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Ontario Farmers' Institute Club of Sandhill

Sandhill Football Club (One of the organizers.)

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

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Name. W. D. Bowles..... Lot and Concession. Lot 27, Con. 5..

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

(1) name (2) date of birth (3) place of residence
(4) date of death (5) place of burial (6) to whom married.

ALSO OWNED: Ching. East, lot 28, Con. 5 100 ac. 1912

Any further information.

*Mrs. Bowles was Treasurer of Brompton Ladies
Liberal Society 1930. Supt of young peoples
dept. of Ching. Religious & Educational
Council 1927.*

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W.D. Bowles. 889, Bampton.

writes us under date of Feb. 23, 1933,
in a general way re Sweet Clover.
He himself having had experience with
it.

(Letter filed in Crop File,
under sweet clover.

FAMILY HISTORY

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Name? ALBERT E. BOWLES, K.C.

Lot and Concession?

Date of Birth?

Date of Death?

Place of Burial?

Parents? John Bowles and Mary Lester

Where did they live? Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Lillian Loughheed

Wife's father's Name?

Wife's Father's place of Residence?

Date of wife's Birth?

Date of wife's Death?

Place of wife's Burial?

What was ~~Albert~~ Bowles. Occupation? Lawyer

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County,

Province, School and Church?

Chairman Public School-board, Winnipeg, 1928
Pres. Sandhill Literary Club, 1895
Pres. Peel Old Boys Association, Winnipeg
School Trustee, Winnipeg.

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure bred stock? If so, what breed?

CHILDREN (If any) Please list as follows:-

- (1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom Married.

ALSO OWNED:

Any other information: Taught school in Peel County.
articled in law with E. G. Graham, Brampton, later with H. W. Bowles, K.C. Toronto.
Graduated from Osgoode Hall, 1920.
Practiced law in Brampton, firm of Graham & Bowles. *(3 yrs.)*
Went to Winnipeg in 1905.
Made a K.C. in 1930 *Chairman of the Bench 1928-1930*

Played on Sandhill foot-ball team, and was an out-standing debater.

President of Sandhill Literary Club 1895

THE CONSERVATOR
BRAMPTON, ONTARIO.

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THURSDAY JAN. 9, 1930.

ALBERT E. BOWLES, K.C. SON OF PEEL HONORED.

Announcement of the appointment of eleven new K.C.'s was made by the Attorney-General of Manitoba last week. The list of barristers thus honored includes Mr. A.E. Bowles a native of the County of Peel and for three years a practising lawyer in Brampton.

Mr. Bowles has been a member of the Winnipeg public school board for the past eight years and chairman for the last two. He was born in Peel county, Ontario, taught school in his native county, articulated in law with E.G. Graham, Brampton, and later with N.W. Rowell, K.C., Toronto and graduated from Osgoode hall in 1920. He practiced in Brampton for three years in the firm of Graham and Bowles and came to Winnipeg in 1905.

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Re: A. E. Bowles

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From notes taken from Judge Robson of Winnipeg.

Mr. Bowles takes an active part in getting up the Peel Old Boys Banquet in Winnipeg and I believe he is now the President of the Peel Old Boys Association.

He is a school trustee and has been chairman of the School Board and has done great public service in that way.

Olden Enterprise Aug 6/35
Forty years ago.

Bowles

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A. E. Bowles, of Sand Hill, has returned after completing a tour of 600 miles on his bicycle.

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FAMILY HISTORY

Name? Dr. George H. Bowles

Lot and Concession? Woodhill (Town File)

Date of Birth?

Date of Death? Living

Place of Burial?

Parents? John Bowles and Mary Lester

Where did they live? Chinguacousy E. Con. 5, lot 27

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Madge Graham

Wife's father's name? Thomas Graham

Wife's father's place of residence? Gore of Tor. Con. 7, lot 1, S.D.

Date of wife's birth?

Date of wife's death?

Place of wife's burial?

What was G.H. Bowles... Occupation? Physician

Religion? Methodist

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

Medical Health Officer Gore of Toronto, 1893, 1897, 1898, 1900-1.
Medical Health Officer Toronto Township, 1907.

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breeds?

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Name? Dr. George H. Bowles Lot & Con. Woodhill

CHILDREN (IF ANY)

Please List as follows:

(1) Name (2) Date of Birth (3) Place of Residence
(4) Date of Death (5) Place of Burial (6) To whom Married

*Graham
John*

ALSO OWNED:

Any further information ?

Moved to Toronto about 1908 and has practiced there for many years.

City of Toronto

1893

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St Bowles

Appointed Medical Health Officer

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Charles F. Bowles

(s. of John Bowles &
Mary Hester)

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Bolton Enterprise, Feb., 5/37,

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Charles F. Bowles
Russell, Manitoba

**Former Peel County Couple
Celebrate Golden Wedding**

A dispatch from the local paper at Russell, Man., has the following news item:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bowles, of Russell, Manitoba, had their Golden Wedding Anniversary on January 25th. Owing to the season of the year and the remote places in which their family reside, and because a family gathering took place some time ago, no special celebration took place.

Mr. Bowles is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Bowles of Sand Hill, and his wife a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon, who lived near Grahamsville. The marriage took place at the bride's home, the minister who performed the ceremony being Rev. George W. Washington. Of the thirty-five who attended the wedding, only fourteen survive. Mr. and Mrs. Bowles are both in excellent health. They have seven daughters and one son, Mrs. Arthur Kilbride, Montreal, Mrs. Harry McDonough, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Harold Dibble, Prince Albert, Sask., Mrs. Fred Hartline and Mrs. J. Hyde, both living at Silverton near Russell, Helen Bowles and Violet Bowles, Los Angeles. Their only son, George Albert Bowles, is located in San Francisco.

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with William
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about William's
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grandfather and other
served in those engaged
to pose as an authority
Christopher then asked him

sub Gazette sent 6/34

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Bowles Reunion in Manitoba

Bowles Family Hold Big Re-
union in Russell, Manitoba
—Natives of Peel

The Winnipeg Free Press of Sept. 1st had the following despatch which will be of interest to many of our readers as Mr. and Mrs. Bowles are both natives of Peel, Mr. Bowles being a brother of W. D. Bowles and Mrs. Bowles a sister of Mr. Thomas Nixon, both of Brampton.

"Russell, Man.: Sept. 1.—The Bowles family of Russell held a great reunion last week with seven daughters, one son, and ten of the twelve grandchildren present. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bowles, the parents, were the centre of the festivities and the occasion was marked by the presentation to them of a handsome set of silver flatware. The family group consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bowles, Russell; Mrs. Harry McDowagle and the Misses Violet and Ellen R. Bowles, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Harold Dibble, Gray, Sask.; Mrs. Fred Hertline and Mrs. Jolin Hyde, Silvertown, Man.; Mrs. Arthur Kirkbride, Calgary, Alta; and George Albert Bowles, San Francisco, Cal. Also present were Fred Hertline and John Hyde, two sons-in-law and a brother, A. E. Bowles, K.C., and Mrs. Bowles and sons, David and Howard, of Winnipeg.

"Many messages of greetings were received from relatives in distant parts."

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Chas -
Isom of Mrs -
(Original ancestor)

Johnson James D - 1918

Gravelholder Lot 6 Row 5 (Brampton P.R.) 1888.

Brampton

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Appointed keeper of House of Industry 1885 - his wife appointed matron.

"Original Crown settler" on 200 acres where Dale Estate now stands. It is told he one day rescued a sow of his from a bear's clutches armed only with the limb of a tree. He saved the sow's life by sewing its wounds with silk thread.

Wife, Mary Ann 1843-1932 daughter of late Robert Crawford & Margaret M. Bonnell attended school at Nortonville, later at first ladies school in Brampton, she married 1868. With her brothers & sisters she was one of the standbys of Mount Olivet Ch., the family composed the choir, & Sunday School Teachers; Family reunion has been held as regular event for years 26 May, date of Robt. Crawford's birthday. She celebrated her 86th birthday 1929 at home of her daughter, Mrs Fred Cook, Toronto - born 3 June E. Ching. Buried Children.

Robert - Regina
Mrs Fred Cook - Toronto

Brampton
Cemetery

FAMILY HISTORY

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6 Feb.

Name? Charles Bowles

Lot and Concession? Chinguacousy East, lot 31, Con. 5. ^E 1828
31.10.0

Date of Birth? 1797 Date of Death? 1879

Place of Burial? Providence Cemetery, Albion.

Parents? George Bowles and Barbara Pawlman

Where did they live? Co. Tipperary, Ireland + Ching, I. Con. 5
lot 31

From where did they come and when? Did not emigrate about

Wife's Name? Ann - Nancy Barry ? 1893 -

Wife's father's name?

Wife's father's place of Residence?

Date of wife's Birth? 1795 Date of Wife's Death? 1886

Place of wife's Burial? Providence Cemetery, Albion.

What was Charles Bowles's Occupation? Stone Mason & Farmer.

Religion? Methodist (Saint John's Wesleyan)

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County
Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

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Name Charles Bowles..... Lot and Concession Ching. lot 31...
Con. 5.

CHILDREN (if any) Please list as follows:-

- (1) name (2) date of birth (3) place of residence
(4) date of death (5) place of burial (6) to whom married.
- (1) Thomas (2) 1830 (3) Chinguacousy East, lot 31, Con. 5. (4) 1913
(5) Providence, Albion. (6) Jane Lester
- (1) John (2) 1828 (3) Ching. East, lot 27, Con. 5. (4) 1912.
(5) Providence, Albion. (6) Mary Lester
- (1) George (2) 1832 (3) Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5. (4) 1912
(5) Providence, Albion. (6) Elizabeth Hunnett Pinch
- (1) Elizabeth (2) 1826 ~~1818~~ (3) Ching. East, lot 31, Con. 5.
(4) 1852 (5) Providence, Albion. (6) Unmarried.

ALSO OWNED: Ching. East, lot 32, Con. 5 / 1847 50 ac. \$2.00.
lot 27, Con. 5 1849 E₈ \$337.10.0
10 Jan.

Any further information.

Celebrated Golden Wedding in 1875

Brought his parents and younger brother, David, out from
Ireland at the time of the potato famine.
(See pioneer file.)

Came to Canada in 1827 himself, built chimneys in York
for a year or two. Purchased the above property, thinking
there was a house on it. Put all his goods on an ox-sled
and set out for his new home. Had to build a shanty, but
in a few years had much of the land cleared and a good
log house built.

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George
(Original
Ancestor).

Aikroyd, Chas. A.

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1928: ^{was} For two yrs superintendent of Shioh
United Church S. S. Grahamville.

1929: ^{was} and also President Ladies Aid.

FAMILY HISTORY.

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Name? GEORGE BOWLES

Lot & Concession? Albion, Con. 5, lot 24, 1829 *50 acres \$20.*

Date of birth? 1765

Date of death? 1830

Place of burial? Providence, Albion, Cemetery

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Barbara

Wife's parent's names?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth? 1776

Date of wife's death? 1854

Place of wife's burial? Providence Cemetery, Albion.

What was G. Bowles Occupation?

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

FAMILY HISTORY.

Name? GEORGE BOWLES

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Lot & Concession? Albion, Con. 5, lot 24, 1829 *50 acres \$20.*

Date of birth? 1765

Date of death? 1830

Place of burial? Providence, Albion, Cemetery

Parents?

Where did they live?

From where did they come and when?

Wife's name? Barbara

Wife's parent's names?

Wife's father's place of residence?

Date of wife's birth? 1776

Date of wife's death? 1854

Place of wife's burial? Providence Cemetery, Albion.

What was G. Bowles Occupation?

Religion?

Politics?

What offices did he hold in the Community, Township, County, Province, School and Church?

To what Societies or Military Organizations did he belong?

Did he raise any pure-bred stock? If so, what breed?

NAME? George Bowles, Albion LOT & CON.? Con. 5, lot 24

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CHILDREN (IF ANY) Please list as follows:

(1) Name (2) Date of birth (3) Place of residence
(4) Date of death (5) Place of burial (6) To whom married

(1) ~~Samuel~~ (2) (3) Albion, Con. 5, lot 24 (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

(1) (2) (3) (4)
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(1) (2) (3) (4)
(5) (6)

ALSO OWNED:

ANY FURTHER INFORMATION:

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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CHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879)

Sometime in 1826, CHARLES BOWLES, (1797-1879) a stone mason, emigrated from Tipperary with his wife, Nancy Barry. Either previous to leaving Ireland, or very shortly after their arrival, their first child, Elizabeth (1826-52) was born. Young Bowles settled first in York, where for a time he carried on his profession. In February, 1828, he bought the east half of Lot 31, Concession 5, Chinguacousy East in the belief that some of the land had been cleared and that a house was erected on the lot. According to family tradition he put all his goods on an ox sled, and set out for his new home but when he arrived he found that he must build a shanty of sorts before he did anything else. Before long however he had improved on this and had built a small log house, and cleared some of of the land.

Later in the same year, his father GEORGE BOWLES and mother, BARBARA LAWRENCE,

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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KSCHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879) (cont'd)

came from Ireland, with Charles' younger brother, DAVID, and possibly ~~an~~ another brother SAMUEL, a sister ELIZABETH, and an aunt, MARY BOWLES (1767-1855).

GEORGE (1765-1830) bought in 1829, the north quarter of Lot 24, Con-
cession 5, Albion, 50 acres for £20. He died the following year and his was the first burial in Providence ~~the Hill's~~ Cemetery. This land remained in the family for some years, for Elizabeth, sister of Charles and David, is listed as a householder of this Lot in 1837, and in 1850, while Samuel, probably a brother of Charles' and David's, is listed as living there in both 1858 and 1877. We have no definite information regarding these two, and it is possible that they may have been sister and brother to George and his sister Elizabeth, rather than children of George. Elizabeth is only known from the notice on her tombstone.

"This stone was erected by grandchildren

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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CHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879) (cont'd)

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as a tribute to one who in life watched over them with the tenderest solicitation."

Charles, as well as his sons Thomas, John and George, was a prominent local preacher, taking active interest in the growth of the local Methodist church, and frequently he expounded the Scripture from country pulpits.

He bought in 1847, 50 acres on Lot 32, Con. 5, Chingacousy East, from his brother David, and sold it in 1871 to David's son Thomas.

He bought in 1849 the east half of Lot 27, Con. 5, Chingacousy East for \$337.10. This land was sold to his son John Bowles in 1855.

His original land, Lot 31, was sold in 1868 to his son George.

He and his wife celebrated their Golden Wedding in 1875,

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BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

CHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879) (cont'd)

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Children of Charles & Nancy Barry.

ELIZABETH - 1826-52.

JOHN - 1828-1912. See below.

THOMAS - 1830-1913. " "

GEORGE - 1832-1912. " "

JOHN BOWLES - 1828-1912. Son of
Charles and Nancy.

He bought the east half of Lot 27,
Concession 5, Chinguaousy East from his
father in 1855. Three years later he
married Mary Lester (1835-1904), daughter
of Isaac Lester of Albion. They celebrated
their 40th Wedding in 1898, and both are
buried in Providence Cemetery in Albion.

John was a Liberal and a zealous Methodist.
He was class-leader, Steward and Sunday School
Superintendent, a local preacher, and a Trustee
of Sandhill Methodist Church in 1900. He was
a strong supporter of temperance.

He bought in 1875[#] the east half of Lot 28,

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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Children of Charles Bowles & Nancy Barry (cont'd)

JOHN BOWLES - 1828-1912 (cont'd)

Concession 5, Chinguacousy East, but apparently did not live there, as in 1877 another man, John Shields is listed as living on this land. It went to his son William D. on his death.

Children of John Bowles & Mary Lester.

William D. - See Below.Charles Fletcher - See Below.Rev. Isaac G. - See Below.Albert E., K.C. - " "J. Harvey - Toronto, Ontario.Dr. George H. - See Below.

Eliza - married John Raine of Lot 27, Con. 5,
Ching. E., son of Robert Raine.

William D. son of John Bowles & Mary Lester.

He inherited the east half^{1/2}s of Lots 27 and 28 from his father, in Con. 5, Ching. East, in 1912. He married a daughter of George T. Ward of the Gore of Toronto. He has held many municipal offices, clerk of Chinguacousy Township, Deputy Reeve, Reeve,

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY 2

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Children of John Bowles & Mary Lester (cont'd)

WILLIAM D. (cont'd). Warden, J. P., 1929,

He was on the executive of the Brampton curling club and is vice-president of the Ontario

Farmers' Institute Club of Sandhill. He was

one of the organizers of the Sandhill Football

Club. Mrs. Bowles was treasurer of the Brampton

Ladies Liberal Society in 1930, and Superintendent

of the Young People's Department of Chinguacousy

Religious and Educational Council.

Charles Fletcher - Lives in Russell, Manitoba.

He married the daughter of James Nixon,

Grahamsville. They celebrated their Golden

Wedding in 1927.

Children of Charles Fletcher & _____ Nixon.

George Albert - San Francisco.Violet - Los Angeles.Helen - Los Angeles. ✓Mrs. Arthur Kilbride - Montreal.Mrs. Harry McDonald - Los Angeles.Mrs. Harold Dibble - Prince AlbertMrs. Fred Hartline - Silverton, Sask.Mrs. J. Hyde - Silverton, Sask.

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Children of John Bowles & Mary Lester (cont'd)

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Rev. Isaac G. - He is a minister in the United Church, was resident of the Toronto Conference for one year. He has been stationed in Barrie, more recently in Hamilton. He has one son, Lester.

Albert E. K.C. - He married Lillian Longheed. They have two children, David and Howard. For a time he taught school in Peel, playing on the Sandhill Football team. In 1895 he was president of the Sandhill Literary Club. Then he studied law, practising in Brantford before he went to Winnipeg in 1905. He served for 6 years on the school board of that city, being chairman for two years. He is President of the Peel Old Boys in Winnipeg. Made K. C. in 1930.

Dr. George H. - He is a doctor, having practised for some years in Woodhill before removing to Toronto about 1906. He was medical health officer for the Gore of Toronto in 1895, '97, '98, 1900-1, and medical health officer for Toronto Township in 1907.

He married Midge Graham, daughter of Thomas Graham of the Gore of Toronto, and by her had two children, Graham and John.

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BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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Children of Charles Bowles & Nancy Barry (cont'd)

THOMAS BOWLES (1830-1913.) He bought in 1854 the W. half of Lot 31, Concession 6, Chinguacousy East. He sold this land in 1887 to his son Isaac Robert. He bought from his brother George in 1866, 50 acres of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Lot 32, Concession 6, Ching. E., 30 acres of which he deeded in 1895 to his son Charles W. In 1880 he bought 100 acres of the East half of Lot 33, Con. 5, Ching. E., which went 7 years later by deed to his son Charles W. In 1886 he bought 50 acres on the East half of Lot 29, Concession 5, Ching. East.

He married Jane Lester, (1833-1913) daughter of Isaac Lester of Albion and sister of Mrs. John Bowles. They are both buried in Providence Cemetery.

Thomas was a farmer, and grain merchant on the Mono Road for some years, and served as a county director for the Credit Valley Railway. In 1861 he moved to Orangeville, where he later became sheriff of Dufferin County. He held many municipal offices, overseer of the highway(s) township councillor

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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Children of Charles Bowles & Nancy Barry (cont'd)

THOMAS BOWLES 1830-1913 (cont'd)

1863-7, Reeve of Chinguacousy for 10 years, Warden of Peel 1871-2, school commissioner of Peel. He ran three times as Liberal candidate for parliament, but was unsuccessful. He was a prominent local Methodist preacher, and a member of Caesar's Wesleyan Methodist church. He was magistrate in 1877.

Children of Thomas Bowles & Jane Lester

Isaac Robert - See below.

Charles W. - " "

Dr. William Herbert - Orangeville.

Jennie (-1934) married W. Marshall Green, Orangeville. She was a member and active Methodist and later of the United church.

Mrs. (Rev.) E. A. Pearson - Toronto

Bertha - 1865-1917 - married Thomas McCartney, Caledon East, Buried in Providence, Albion.

Thomas Edgar - Merchant in Winnipeg & Orangeville.

Children of Thomas Bowles & Jane Lester (cont'd)

Isaac Robert - 1859-1931 - Bought from his father in 1887 the west half of Lot 31, Con. 6, Ching. East. He married Elizabeth Cunningham, daughter of Alexander Cunningham of Ching. East. He retired to Toronto in 1916, and is buried in Providence cemetery, Albion.

Children of Isaac Robert Bowles & Elizabeth Cunningham.

Captain Alexander C. - London, England. Financial broker. Won Military Cross in Great War and recommended for V. C.

Vera

Thomas - New York.

Charles W. - He was deeded Lot 33, Con. 5, Ching. E. in 1887 as well as 30 acres of Lot 32, Con. 6, Ching. E., in 1895 from his father. He farmed first in Peel and then later moved to the West, returning after a time to the East. He finally retired to Brampton. He married Rebecca Wilson, daughter of Seth Wilson, of Albion.

Children of Charles W. Bowles & Rebecca Wilson:

Russell

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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Children of Charles W. Bowles &
Rebecca Wilson (cont'd)

Wilson

Victor

Mrs. George Cameron

Mrs. Ernest Train

Children of Charles ^{Bowles} & Nancy Barry (cont'd)

GEORGE BOWLES - 1832-1912 - He bought from his father in 1868 the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 31, Con. 5, Ching. East. In 1866 he bought the W $\frac{1}{2}$ of Lot 32, Con. 6, Ching. East, which he sold later in the same year to his brother Thomas. In 1892 he was deeded 50 acres of Lot 34, Con. 6, Ching. East, selling it later in the same year.

He was treasurer of Chinguacousy township, and a local preacher and superintendent of Caesar's Church. He retired to Brampton in 1906. He was a great temperance worker and would not grow barley because it was used to make beer. He married in 1861, Elizabeth H. Pinch (1844-1926) daughter of the Rev. Richard Pinch of Mono Circuit. They celebrated their golden wedding in 1911. Both are buried in Providence, Albion.

Children of George Bowles & Elizabeth H. Pinch.

John - He married _____. His children were George, Allen (a school teacher in B.C.) and Howard.

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Children of George Bowles & Elizabeth H. Pinch. ^(cont.)

Manley - Winnipeg. Dentist. He practised in Brampton 1889-1903, then moved to Winnipeg. He has two sons.

Sherlock - Neville, Sask. He married Ward. Two ^{son} sons, Watson & Newton.

Charles - 1863-82. Buried in Providence cemetery.

Rev. Richard P., M.A., D.D., LL.D. (1864-)
See below.

Eliza - 1870-99 - married Rev. George Agar. Buried in Providence Cemetery.

Unett - married J. K. Smith, Edmonton, Alta.
Rev. Newton E. - see below.

Henry.

Rev. Richard Pinch Bowles, M.A., D.D., LL.D.
son of George Bowles & Elizabeth H. Pinch.
~~He was~~ born 1864. Received his education in the local public schools, and attended Brampton High School. He studied at Victoria University, ^{graduating} Cobourg in 1885 with his B.A., receiving his B.D. in 1888 and his M.A. the following year. He was ordained in 1888, and married the same year

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Children of George Bowles & Elizabeth H. Pinch (cont'd)

Rev. Richard Pinch Bowles (cont'd)

Annie V. Devitt, daughter of James Devitt. He was minister at Metropolitan Church in Toronto from 1897-1901 and at Grace Church, Winnipeg from 1901-05.

He returned to Toronto where for one year he was minister at Sherbourne Street Methodist Church before being appointed professor of Homiletics, faculty of theology, at Victoria College, which position he held until 1913. At that time he became president and chancellor of Victoria, ~~University~~ and held positions on the board of Regents at Victoria and West Church, Union University. He retired in 1930 to live at Nestleton. He is author of "Socialism, Pacifism, Mysticism", three lectures published by the Ryerson Press, Toronto, 1934, and has contributed a series of bi-weekly sketches drawn from life on his farm to the New Outlook entitled "Days at Seugog". Like all of his family he is a Liberal. //

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He has two daughters, and one son Wilfred Thomas of Toronto.

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Children of George Bowles & Elizabeth H. Pinch /

Rev. Newton M. Bowles (1877-) - He
attended public school on the 6th line,
and then later at s.s. #16, Ching. Lot 30.
Con. 4, E. He went to high school in
Brampton, later in Orangeville, then the
old Model school in Orangeville. He
taught school for a year or so in the
"Kennedy School House" below Sandhill
before going to Victoria College where
he studied for the ministry. He was
pater at Laurel Church, Dufferin County,
and then north of New Liskeard. From
1906-26 he was a missionary in China
at Chengtu. On his return from China
he served at St. Davids and now is
pastor at Bethesda Church, Dixie, where he
carries on his hobby of raising chickens.

He married Murial Wood (1880-) daughter
of George Wood.

Children of Rev. Newton M. Bowles &
Murial Wood.

Muriel M. - 1914 -

Newton R. - 1916 -

Elizabeth J. - 1921 -

Gertrude O. - 1923 -

BOWLES FAMILY HISTORY

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DAVID BOWLES - 1805-1865.

Younger brother of Charles and son of George Bowles and Barbara Lawrence. He came to Canada about 1828 with his father and mother, sister, brother and aunt, settling for a time with his brother Charles. He rented part of Lot 32, Con. 5, Ching. E., buying 50 acres of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ in 1839. He sold this to his brother Charles in 1847. He married Margaret McGee (1800-94). Both husband and wife are buried in Providence Cemetery.

Children of David Bowles & Margaret McGee.

Thomas - 1844-1937 - See below.

George - See below.

Charles - See below.

David - 1847-69. Buried in Providence Cemetery, Albion.

Thomas - 1844-1937 - son of David Bowles & Margaret McGee. He bought 50 acres of Lot 32, con. 5, Ching. E. from his father in 1871, later moving to the Mono Road. He married Margaret Lindsay (1852-1926) dtr. of James Lindsay of Albion. Thomas was a grain buyer and a shipper, a Methodist and

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Children of David Bowles & Margaret McGee (cont'd)

Charles - Orangeville. He married Martha Lindsay. He was deputy sheriff of Dufferin and for 35 years was Governor of Orangeville Jail.

Children of Charles Bowles & Martha Lindsay.

George W. - Toronto

Ottie - married Arthur Trimble, Toronto.

James Bolton, the first of the family after whom the village was named, came from Sussex to Albion in 1818. He built many mills in the Home District, and took an active part in opposing the Family Compact both by voice and pen. He was involved in the 1837 fiasco and while in hiding somewhere between Bolton and the Holland swamp, wrote ~~the~~ Last Reflections. The manuscript was loaned to the writer by a great-grandson, Norman E. Bolton, and although not committed to print, is among the most poignant utterances to be expressed by any Peel writer. Extracts from the paper tell a tragic tale:

"If some friendly and human person should find this book, they may herein read the thoughts of an unfortunate man, who for anything he knows, may have justly incurred the hatred of all his friends and kindred and, by the laws of his country, forfeited his life. He has in sight of God been guilty of many delinquencies and failed and come far short in all his duties, yet nevertheless his will has been for the most part, to do good to all and to injure none....

Seeking the abode of a beloved sister, passing creeks and swamps, bewildered and lost so as never to see her again, not even to see her sorrows and receive her scorn. Within sound of the axe and flail, yet dare not approach

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the habitation of man, lest he should deprive me of making this last sad detail, and thus to permit of my last reflections.

Reader, whoever thou art, whether rich or poor, I intend this for thy good and for the good of all, if the Lord in mercy to others would vouchsafe to use so vile an instrument. My own time is at an end. Eternity only remains for me. Happy only to die unseen.
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If even Reformers should carry all before them and altho', when I perceived the sanguinary character the assault of the city was destined to take, and used what powers and arguments I could to prevent it, yet how can I lift my face to the remnants of those families of my friends and neighbours, letting alone my own, who will now be left in mourning and tears.... Oh, God soften my heart to feel the misery to which I have been accessory....

Even the lives lost on both sides stand, and must stand, eternally against me, unless Thy mercy is boundless... Do Thou soften Thy mind to undefended misery, and permit me to die in the best manner for those whom I must now leave forever..... Oh let me not hope for life upon terms which might endanger that of ~~the~~ others who may yet live to do Thy will and promote

true happiness on this now wretched and divided world.

Christianity does not take life in any case. Oh, how have I wandered. I would now give the whole world could I command it, only to spend my few remnant days in solitude if so I might write my thoughts and that my views of life and its duties might go forth to the world.....

No horn has blown for me this day. No friendly fire can again warm my benumbed fingers...."

After several pages of profound political reflections the manuscript breaks off abruptly in the middle of a sentence

Jesse N. Bolton, grandson of the above, founded the first Bolton newspaper. He was a surveyor as well as a printer and an ardent Temperance worker.

Taken over by H. H. Bolton, village lawyer, in 1888.

James H. Bolton, grandson of the original James, wrote a comprehensive history of the village which was published in pamphlet form in 1931.

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CHARLES BOWLES (1797-1879) a young Tipperary stone mason

emigrated in 1827 settling first in York where he worked at his trade then in 1828 he bought 100 acres in Ching.E., Lot 31, Con.5, where he settled with his wife Nancy Barry (1795-1886) clearing the land and building a log house.

In the meantime there was a potato famine in Ireland so Charles brought out his parents GEORGE BOWLES (1765-1830) and Barbara Lawrence (1776-1854) and his younger brother DAVID (1805-85).

George bought 50 acres in Albion, Lot 24, Con.5, in 1829, but the next year he died, and his was the first burial in

Providence (Woodill's) Cemetery. *Elizabeth Bowles, in*

1837⁺¹⁸⁵⁰ directories as N. N. on this lot, and Samuel.

on 1858 voters list + 1877 map, may have been sister / brother of either Geo. or Chas. (no information available)

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Charles, as also his sons, John, Thomas and George, was a local preacher, taking an active interest in the growth of the Methodist church and frequently he expounded Scripture from country pulpits.

Charles owned also Ching.E. Lot 32, Con.5, 1847, 50 acres.
Lot 27, Con.5, 1849, 100 acres.

Children of CHARLES AND NANCY

I Elizabeth (1826-52) Buried in Providence Albion.

II John (1828-1912) Ching.E., Lot 27, Con.5, 1855.

In 1858 married Mary Lester (1835-1904) daughter of Isaac Lester of Albion. In 1898 John and his wife celebrated their golden wedding. Both are buried in Providence Albion.

John was a Liberal in politics and a zealous Methodist, a class leader, local preacher, steward and Sunday School superintendent and trustee of Sandhill Methodist Church 1900. He was a strong supporter of temperance.

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John owned also Ching.E., Lot 28, Con.5, 1875, 100 acres.

Children of John and Mary:

1. William D. Ching.E., Lot 27, Con.5, ^{inherited} 1912

Married ---Ward, daughter of George T.Ward, Gore of Toronto. Wm. D. owned also Ching.E. Lot 28, Con.5, ^{inherited} 100 acres, 1912.

Wm. D. has held many municipal offices:-clerk of Ching. twp., Deputy Reeve, Reeve, Warden, J.P., 1929, He is on the executive of the Brampton curling club, and is vice-president of the Ontario Farmers' Institute Club of Sandhill. He was one of the organizers of the Sandhill Football Club. Mrs. Bowles was treasurer of the Brampton Ladies Liberal Society, 1930, and Superintendent of the Young People's Dept. of Ching. Religious and Educational Council, 1927.

2. Charles Fletcher. Russell, Manitoba.

Married ---Nixon, daughter of James Nixon, Grahamsville
Celebrated golden wedding, 1927.

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Children of Chas. Fletcher:

Geo. Albert, San Francisco.
Violet and Helen, Los Angeles.
Mrs. Arthur Kilbride, Montreal.
Mrs. Harry McDonaugh, Los Angeles.
Mrs. Harold Dibble, Prince Albert.
Mrs. Fred Hartline, Silverton, Sask.
Mrs. J. Hyde, " "

3. Rev. Isaac G. Married -----

A son Lester. Rev. Isaac is minister of United Church, was president of the Toronto Conference for one year. He has been stationed in Barrie, then in Hamilton.

4. Albert E., K.C. married Lillian Loughheed. They have two children, David and Howard. Albert E. taught school for a time in Peel, playing on the Sandhill Football team. 1895 president of the Sandhill Literary Club. Then studied law, practised in Brampton. 1905 went to Winnipeg. Member of Winnipeg school board for 8 years, chairman for 2.

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President of Peel Old Boys in Winnipeg.

5. J. Harvey. Toronto, Ontario.

6. Dr. George H. Woodhill then Toronto. He married
Madge Graham, daughter of Thos. Graham, Gore of Toronto.
M.H.O. Gore of Toronto, 1893, 1897-8, 1900-01; M.H.O.
Toronto township, 1907. Moved to Toronto 1908 where
he continued practice.

Children: Graham, John.

7. Eliza married John Raine, Ching.E., Lot 27, Con.5.

III Thomas (1830-1913) Ching.E., Lot 31, Con.6, 1854.

Married Jane Lester (1833-1913) daughter of Isaac Lester of Albion. Both buried in Providence Albion.

Thos. was a farmer and grain merchant at Mono Road.

In 1881 he moved to Orangeville when he became Sheriff of Dufferin. He was a director of the Credit Valley Railroad. Railroad, a Liberal in politics and a Wesleyan Methodist.

He held many municipal offices:- overseer of highways, township councillor, 1863-7, reeve of Ching. for 10 years, warden of Peel, school commissioner for Peel. He ran 3 times for parliament ^{as Liberal candidate} unsuccessfully. He was a Methodist local preacher, and a member of Caesar's Wesleyan Church.

Thos. owned also Ching E., Lot 32, Con.6, 1866, 50 acres.

Lot 33, Con.5, 1880, 90 acres.

Lot 33, Con.5, 1883, 10¹/₂ acres.

Lot 29, Con.5, 1886, ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ acres.

Children of Thomas and Jane:

1. Isaac Robert (1859-1931) Ching.E., Lot 31, Con.6, 1887

He married Elizabeth Cunnington, daughter of Alexander

Cunnington of Ching.E. Isaac retired to Toronto

1916. He is buried in Providence Albion.

Children of Isaac and Elizabeth:

Captain Alex. C. London, England. Financial broker
Won Military Cross in Great War and recommended
for V.C.

Vera.

Thomas. New York.

2. Charles W. Ching.E., Lot 33, Con.5, 1887. *inherited*

Married Rebecca Wilson, daughter of Seth Wilson, Albion.

Charles farmed first in Peel then in the West but later
the East.
returned again to ~~Albion~~. Finally he retired to

Brampton. Chas. also owned Ching.E. Lot 32, Con.6,

30 acres, 1895. *inherited*

3. Dr. William Herbert. Orangeville.

4. Jennie (-1934) married W. Marshall Green, Orangeville.

She was active member of Methodist then of United Church.

5. Mrs. (Rev.) E.A. Pearson, Toronto.

6. Bertha (1865-1917) married Thomas McCartney, Caledon East.
Buried in Providence Albion.

children:

*Russell
Wilson
Victor.*

*Mrs. Hec. Cameron
Mrs Ernest Train.*

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7. Thomas Edgar. Merchant in Winnipeg and Orangeville.

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3, Sherlock, Neville, Sask.

Married ----Ward. Sons, Watson, Newton.

4. Charles (1863-82). Buried in Providence Albion.

5. Rev. Richard P., M.A., D.D., LL.D. (1864-)

Toronto, later retired to Nestleton. Married Annie

V.Devitt, daughter of James Devitt. Children, Wilfred

George, Toronto, also 2 daughters.

Rev. Richard was pastor of Grace Church Winnipeg, and of

Sherbourne Street Methodist, then of Metropolitan,

Toronto. Professor of Homelitics at Victoria College,

1905-1913, Chancellor 1913-30.

6. Eliza (1870-99) married Rev. George Agar. Buried
in Providence Albion.

7. Unett married J.K.Smith, Edmonton, Alta.

8. Rev. Newton E. (1877-) Dixie.

Married Muriel Wood (1880-) daughter of George Wood.

Children:

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Newton R. 1916-
Elizabeth J. 1921-
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Rev. Newton taught school as a young man in "Kennedy School House" near Sandhill. He was one of the organizers of the Sandhill Football Club. He was pastor of Laurel Church, Dufferin County, ~~St. David's church~~ ~~near Sandhill~~ church at St. David's; 1906-26 missionary at Chengtu, China. Now pastor of Bethesda Dixie. His hobby is raising chickens.

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a grain buyer and shipper, a Methodist and the only

Conservative in the Bowles family. He was a member of

Mount Zion Methodist Church and helped build Caesar's Church.

He was deputy constable. A keen sportsman he was champion

ground hog killer of neighbourhood.

Children of Thomas and Margaret:

1. David Alfred (1877-97) Buried in Providence Albion.

2. Annie married W.J. Russell, New Toronto.

3. Mrs. James Shaw, Mono Road.

4. Mrs. James Elliott, Mono Road.

5. James Charles 1873. died as infant.

6. James Albert 1874. " " "

7. Another daughter.

II. George. fought in American Civil War and afterwards became Sheriff in Maryland.

He married Elizabeth Smith. They had a son George Washington.

III. Charles. Orangeville. He married Martha Lindsay.

~~Children of Charles and Martha~~

Was deputy sheriff of Dufferin and for 35 years Governor of Orangeville jail.

Children of Charles and Martha:

1. George W., Toronto.

2. Ottie married Arthur Trimble, Toronto.

IV. David. (1847-69). ~~Ching. B. Lot 58, Sen. 5.~~

Buried in Providence Albion.